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It was estimated his proposal would take 10,000,000 of the smallest taxpayers off the federal income tax rolls.

But the President appeared to have changed no Republican plans.

Rep. Knutson (R-Minn.), the House Republican tax manager, cried "political demagoguery" and announced he will press for quick action in the GOP-dominated Congress on his own measure.

The Knutson bill would cut individual taxes by $5,600,000,000—without making the slash elsewhere.

The fact that the President offered his own tax plan was viewed on Capitol Hill as a sign that he probably has a veto awaiting the Knutson bill if it appears at the White House.

Truman Plan "Inflationary"

Government fiscal experts estimated that about 95 per cent of the relief the President proposed would go to persons with incomes under $5,000. Knutson said that 77 per cent of the relief under his own bill goes to those with incomes under $4,000.

"The President's proposal is inflationary and would immediately start another upward spiral in prices," Knutson said.

Under the President's proposal each taxpayer would be given the cut as of January 1, 1948. A single person would have a $40 cut, a married couple $80, a couple with one child, $120 and a couple with two children $160.

Mr. Truman did not say how he would want corporation taxes increased—whether by an increase in normal and surtax or by a revival of a modified form of the wartime excess profits levy.

Knutson said to raise an additional $3,200,000,000 from corporations it would be necessary to boost the normal and surtax combined rate from the present 38 per cent to around 51 per cent.

Knutson's measure, expected to come to a vote in the House as probably the first major action of the reconvened Congress, would erase about 7,400,000 low income and elderly persons from the tax rolls.

GOP Bill Hikes Exemption

The Knutson bill, also effective January 1, 1948, would (1) raise the personal exemption by $100, from $500 to $600; (2) apply to all states the community property principle whereas husbands and wives may split the family income equally to hold taxes in lower brackets; (3) slash taxes from 30 per cent in the lowest bracket to 10 per cent in the higher brackets; (4) provide additional exemptions for persons 65 years and older and for the blind.

Fiscal experts said that under the President's plan, no more federal income taxes would be paid by single persons with total income of $800 or less; married couples, $1,600 or less; couples with one child, $2,375; two children, $3,150; three children, $3,975; and four children, $4,750 and less.

Some Democrats praised Mr. Truman's tax stand while others reserved comment. Sen. Lucas (D-

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Indictment Alleges He Lied To Probers

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8 (AP) — Maj. Gen. Bennett E. Meyers pleaded innocent today to charges that he perjured himself before Senate investigators inquiring into his wartime private deals and that he caused another to swear falsely also.

Federal Judge David A. Pine, before whom Meyers was arraigned, set the trial of the retired Air Force procurement officer for February 16.

Bleriot H. Lamarre, 35, pleaded guilty yesterday to three charges of perjury arising out of the same investigation. Lamarre once told Senate investigators that Meyers had no connection with the Aviation Electric Company of Dayton, O., then changed his story and said the General was the real owner and chief recipient of the firm's profits.

"Dummy" President

In what he called the "true story," Lamarre testified that he was merely a "dummy" president of the wartime supply firm and allowed by Meyers to keep only $3,000 of his $30,000-a-year salary. Lamarre is expected to be the government's principal witness against Meyers.

Meyers entered a firm "not guilty" plea to each of two indictments returned against him by a federal grand jury December 16.

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Vote Probe's First Phase Is Completed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP)—Sen. O'Conor (D-Md) leads with 229,664 votes to 228,040 for D. John Markey, Frederick Republican, in a recount of Maryland's contested senatorial election contest, Sen. Jenner (R-Ind) said today.

The results of the recount, however, "cannot at this time be considered as the official determination" of the investigating Senate subcommittee, Jenner added in a statement.

The group, he explained, "must examine and study the data accumulated by the subcommittee staff for the purpose of determining the legal effect which such data may have on the actual recount."

Markey charges there were errors and irregularities in the voting which gave O'Conor an official margin of 2,232 votes out of a total of 472,232.

Charges To Be Probed

Jenner said his announcement today was on the first phase of the investigation.

The second phase, he added, is an investigation "into the many charges of the contestant Markey, including such factors as alleged excessive campaign expenditures, ghost voting, illegal registration, illegal voting and other alleged infractions of the election laws noted by counsel during the recount of ballots such as seals on ballot boxes not properly placed or missing, poll books not signed by clerks of election, impression ballots and numerous other violations."

Jenner said approximately 250,000 paper ballots had passed through three or four stages of examination.

"All of these ballots have been carefully examined and recounted by challengers for the contestant Markey and the incumbent O'Conor

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Legislative Council To Consider Revision Of State Merit System

BALTIMORE, Jan. 7 (AP) — The Legislative Council voted today to consider revising Maryland's law granting war veterans top priority on eligibility lists of the merit system for state employes.

The council will study the entire system at the suggestion of Sen. Robert Kimble (R-Allegany), who said it should be amended to give "the best, most competent, most efficient persons state jobs."

After J. Milton Patterson, state public welfare director, mentioned the veterans' priorities, Kimble and Sen. Stanford Hoff (R-Carroll) joined in declaring the Maryland law probably is too generous.

Sen. Kimble said it is possible for a Maryland veteran to fail an examination and yet be appointed to a position for which other non-veterans have qualified with high marks. He explained the Maryland law gives a veteran five points toward his examination mark and

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Council Rejects Plan To Deduct Federal Taxes

BALTIMORE, Jan. 7 (AP) — The Legislative Council turned thumbs down today on a proposal that Marylanders be allowed to deduct income taxes paid the federal government from their state returns.

The council, passing five recommendations of its Finance Committee, also voted against sponsoring at the 1949 General Assembly session a withholding of state income taxes.

It approved elimination of the tax on gross receipts of safe deposit and trust companies, reduction of the franchise tax on savings bank deposits, and extended use of the simplified income tax form for salaries up to $10,000.

Jews In Armored Car Bomb Arabs At Old Jaffa Gate

18 Persons Killed In Two Explosions

JERUSALEM, Jan. 7 (AP) — Jews disguised in blue caps of the Palestine police and driving a stolen armored car hurled two bombs today into Arab crowds at ancient Jaffa gate and a nearby street intersection. Eighteen persons were killed.

Fourteen Arabs died at the gate and three Jews and one Arab were killed at the street intersection.

Two of the Jewish bombers were slain by British police bullets as they sought to escape over the stone wall of an old Moslem cemetery after the second bomb explosion.

Death Toll Reaches 622

The bomb attacks and other violence brought to 622 the number of deaths since the November 29 decision by the United Nations to partition Palestine.

It was the third time in four weeks that the Jews have bombed the Arab-guarded gates of the old walled city in Jerusalem, where 1,500 Orthodox Jews, cut off from the rest of their kinsmen, have been waging snipers' duels with Arab riflemen. British armored cars were used in getting food to the beleaguered Jews yesterday.

In a statement tonight Irgun Zvai Leumi, Jewish extremist underground organization, said the bomb was hurled at the Jaffa gate today in an effort to smash the guard and get additional supplies to the Jews.

42 Persons Injured

An official announcement said that in addition to the Arabs and Jews killed, 42 other persons were injured from the bombs and gunfire.

The roar of the double explosion and the rising column of smoke from the gate zone touched off a half hour of sporadic firing between the old city and the modern city.

Alarmed by the firing and fearing a general Arab attack, Jews hastily barricaded the streets leading to Zion Square with solid rows of parked trucks and automobiles.

The attack occurred as thousands of Christian Arabs celebrated their Christmas under the Julian calendar.

Efforts To Take 780 Off Sinking Soviet Ship Fail

Decks Are Awash; Only One Lifeboat

TOKYO, Thursday, Jan. 8 (AP)—Decks of the sinking Russian ship Dvina are awash but efforts of two rescue ships to remove her 780 passengers have thus far been futile, an American airman radioed from the scene off Northeast Japan at 11 a. m. today (9 p. m. Wednesday, E. S. T.)

United States Far East Air Forces relayed the report from the pilot of a B-17 rescue plane circling overhead. He said a Japanese tanker and a Russian patrol boat standing by had been unable to get a line aboard the stricken ship and that waves were surging across her decks. The plane was unable to make contact with the Russians, either by radio or blinker signal, he added.

Only One Lifeboat

One of the earliest messages from the Dvina—silent now for many hours—had asserted "it is necessary to remove passengers immediately." It noted that the ship was filling and that she had only one lifeboat.

An American B-29 Superfortress which first located the Dvina by radar and remained aloft nearly 11 hours to direct rescue craft, landed at Yokota airbase at 9:50 a. m., (7:50 p. m., Wednesday, E. S. T.). Her pilot, Lt. B W. Hensley, Upland, Calif., said the Dvina appeared to be an American-built Liberty ship, although flying the Red flag. Earlier reports had indicated she was a motorship of only 1,773 tons.

Hensley said he could see "10 or 12 people on deck" this morning, although visibility was poor. He reported the ship still listing at a 30-degree angle. Previous reports estimated it at 40 degrees.

Six B-17 rescue planes remained over the ship after Hensley's return, and five Japanese-manned ships were steaming to the scene. The weather was reported moderating.

U. S. Officers Puzzled

American officers here said they were puzzled by the Dvina's position—last estimated at 100 miles due east of Urakawa, Hokkaido—and how she got there.

United States naval authorities said they were informed the 1,773-ton Dvina was en route from Kamchatka to Vladivostok when she ran into trouble off Southern Hokkaido, several hundred miles south of her normal course. Strong winds could have driven her southward, they added. Lacking further information, they assumed the passengers were Russians.

The Japanese radio reported 100-mile-an-hour winds sweeping the channel between Honshu and northermost Hokkaido Island, some 150 miles west of the Dvina's last recorded position.

Three High-Salaried Film Personalities Sue Studios

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 7 (AP) — Three high-salaried film personalities filed suit for a total of $3,165,925 today against movie studios which dismissed two of them and suspended the third for refusal to answer questions before a House Committee on un-American Activities, sitting in Washington.

The three are Writers Ring Lardner, Jr., and Lester Cole, and Producer-Director Edward Dmytryk. Lardner and Dmytryk sought damages of $1,382,500 and $1,783,425, respectively while Cole merely asked a court order of declaratory relief and return to the payroll.

The three men and seven other Hollywood writers and film executives were cited for contempt of Congress for refusing to state whether or not they are or had been members of the Communist Party.

Morgenthau Speculated In Corn On June 30, 1947

New Law Ousts Communists From Office In Brazil

Dutra Approves Bill Passed By Deputies

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 7 (AP) — President Eurico Gaspar Dutra put into effect tonight a law abolishing the last legal vestige of Communist activity in Brazil by removing all Communists from elective posts throughout the nation, including congressmen.

Dutra signed the measure after the Chamber of Deputies adopted it, 181 to 74, at the conclusion of the most turbulent legislative session ever held in Brazil. The Senate previously had passed the bill.

Dutra's administration severed diplomatic relations with the Soviet Union last October over articles in the Russian press attacking him and the Brazilian army.

Communists Shout "Traitors"

The 74 votes opposing the bill were mustered from the 14 Communist deputies, a handful of Communist sympathizers and a large group of other deputies, including government party members, who voted against it on grounds of personal conviction.

As the balloting ended, spectators in the chamber galleries and Communist deputies on the floor began shouting "traitors." The Communist members, possibly making their last legal utterances in the chamber, then shouted "Viva Luis Carlos Prestes," in tribute to the party's Brazilian leader, who will lose his Senate seat under the bill.

Communist Deputy Mauricio Garbois shrieked that "this government is rotten and will collapse by a movement of the masses," and cried above the clamor that Dutra's "fascist" regime had sold out to "Wall Street and North American imperialism."

Fist Fights Break Out

Fist fights broke out frequently on the floor of the chamber and at one point during the debate the session was suspended temporarily when three deputies yanked pistols from their clothing and menaced three Communist members. No shots were fired.

The tumult outside the building became almost a riot.

Private citizens exchanged blows on the steps of the building, leftist crowds shouted vengeance on the deputies and police cars raced through downtown Rio De Janeiro with the sirens screaming.

Ex-Treasury Chief Says He Lost Money

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP) — Henry Morgenthau, Jr., former Secretary of the Treasury, turned up on a government list of grain speculators today — but he said he lost money and "it is obvious I had no inside information."

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His name was given by the Agriculture Department as a speculator in corn on the Chicago Board of Trade on June 30, 1947.

The department listed Morgenthau as holding 195,000 bushels of corn on the short side of the market. Those on the short side are speculating that prices will go down.

One Of 5,213 Named

Morgenthau's name was one of 5,213 of persons reported to have held corn futures positions in the Chicago market on April 30, 1946, or June 30, 1947.

Officials said they do not know whether any government officials were on these two lists. At the time the names were obtained from brokers under special market surveys, the department did not ask for classification of traders by their occupations.

Publication of names of speculative traders was started in connection with congressional investigations to determine whether "government insiders" had been taking advantage of their situation to make money by trading in commodities. Congress adopted a resolution authorizing Secretary of Agriculture Anderson to disclose names of all traders.

Today's corn list, as have some of the six lists previously released, showed the name of Edwin W. Pauley, an assistant to the Secretary of War. He took his present post last September.

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Just the Mediterranean, he was asked.

"Yes."

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One of the survivors, Octavio Pinol, San Juan and wounded veteran of World War II, told newsmen that "the motors didn't sound so good when we took off from Philadelphia and from Raleigh."

Pinol, who spent months in a hospital recovering from wounds suffered at Strasbourg, Germany, said he and fellow passengers noticed the plane began circling just before the crash and that the motors were running slowly.

"I was thrown out of the plane and landed about 10 feet from it," said Pinol, "My hair caught fire after the explosion and I put my head under water. The water was about two feet deep.

"I saw a woman with both legs cut off. I tried to help a little girl. She was covered with blood and seemed to have both legs broken. She died in the boat." Pinol suffered shoulder and head injuries.

Converted Army C-47

Another survivor, William Schrader, 18-year-old Army private of Dillonville, Ohio, said he was asleep at the time of the crash and woke up to find himself hurtling through the air. "It seemed I fell about a hundred yards, my back hurts terribly," Schrader was

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CRASH VICTIMS—An unidentified coast guardsman views several bodies beside the tail of the wrecked Coastal Airliner, which crashed and exploded near Savannah, Ga., yesterday. Seventeen persons lost their lives.

Knutson Says He Will Press Own Measure

President's Plan Called Inflationary

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 — (AP) — A Republican pigeonhole was dusted out tonight for President Truman's income tax cut plan.

Mr. Truman proposed an immediate "cost of living" reduction of $40 for each taxpayer and another $40 for each dependent. He suggested that this estimated $3,200,000,000 revenue loss be made up by additional taxes on corporations.

It was estimated his proposal would take 10,000,000 of the smallest taxpayers off the federal income tax rolls.

But the President appeared to have changed no Republican plans.

Rep. Knutson (R-Minn.), the House Republican tax manager, cried "political demagoguery" and announced he will press for quick action in the GOP-dominated Congress on his own measure.

The Knutson bill would cut individual taxes by $5,600,000,000—without making the slash elsewhere.

The fact that the President offered his own tax plan was viewed on Capitol Hill as a sign that he probably has a veto awaiting the Knutson bill if it appears at the White House.

Truman Plan "Inflationary"

Government fiscal experts estimated that about 95 per cent of the relief the President proposed would go to persons with incomes under $5,000. Knutson said that 77 per cent of the relief under his own bill goes to those with incomes under $4,000.

"The President's proposal is inflationary and would immediately start another upward spiral in prices," Knutson said.

Under the President's proposal each taxpayer would be given the cut as of January 1, 1948. A single person would have a $40 cut, a married couple $80, a couple with one child, $120 and a couple with two children $160.

Mr. Truman did not say how he would want corporation taxes increased—whether by an increase in normal and surtax or by a revival of a modified form of the wartime excess profits levy.

Knutson said to raise an additional $3,200,000,000 from corporations it would be necessary to boost the normal and surtax combined rate from the present 38 per cent to around 51 per cent.

Knutson's measure, expected to come to a vote in the House as probably the first major action of the reconvened Congress, would erase about 7,400,000 low income and elderly persons from the tax rolls.

GOP Bill Hikes Exemption

The Knutson bill, also effective January 1, 1948, would (1) raise the personal exemption by $100, from $500 to $600; (2) apply to all states the community property principle whereas husbands and wives may split the family income equally to hold taxes in lower brackets; (3) slash taxes from 30 per cent in the lowest bracket to 10 per cent in the higher brackets; (4) provide additional exemptions for persons 65 years and older and for the blind.

Fiscal experts said that under the President's plan, no more federal income taxes would be paid by single persons with total income of $800 or less; married couples, $1,600 or less; couples with one child, $2,375; two children, $3,150; three children, $3,975; and four children, $4,750 and less.

Some Democrats praised Mr. Truman's tax stand while others reserved comment. Sen. Lucas (D-

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Efforts To Take 780 Off Sinking Soviet Ship Fail

Decks Are Awash; Only One Lifeboat

TOKYO, Thursday, Jan. 8 (AP)—Decks of the sinking Russian ship Dvina are awash but efforts of two rescue ships to remove her 780 passengers have thus far been futile, an American airman radioed from the scene off Northeast Japan at 11 a. m. today (9 p. m. Wednesday, E. S. T.)

United States Far East Air Forces relayed the report from the pilot of a B-17 rescue plane circling overhead. He said a Japanese tanker and a Russian patrol boat standing by had been unable to get a line aboard the stricken ship and that waves were surging across her decks. The plane was unable to make contact with the Russians, either by radio or blinker signal, he added.

Only One Lifeboat

One of the earliest messages from the Dvina—silent now for many hours—had asserted "it is necessary to remove passengers immediately." It noted that the ship was filling and that she had only one lifeboat.

An American B-29 Superfortress which first located the Dvina by radar and remained aloft nearly 11 hours to direct rescue craft, landed at Yokota airbase at 9:50 a. m., (7:50 p. m., Wednesday, E. S. T.). Her pilot, Lt. B W. Hensley, Upland, Calif., said the Dvina appeared to be an American-built Liberty ship, although flying the Red flag. Earlier reports had indicated she was a motorship of only 1,773 tons.

Hensley said he could see "10 or 12 people on deck" this morning, although visibility was poor. He reported the ship still listing at a 30-degree angle. Previous reports estimated it at 40 degrees.

Six B-17 rescue planes remained over the ship after Hensley's return, and five Japanese-manned ships were steaming to the scene. The weather was reported moderating.

U. S. Officers Puzzled

American officers here said they were puzzled by the Dvina's position—last estimated at 100 miles due east of Urakawa, Hokkaido—and how she got there.

United States naval authorities said they were informed the 1,773-ton Dvina was en route from Kamchatka to Vladivostok when she ran into trouble off Southern Hokkaido, several hundred miles south of her normal course. Strong winds could have driven her southward, they added. Lacking further information, they assumed the passengers were Russians.

The Japanese radio reported 100-mile-an-hour winds sweeping the channel between Honshu and northermost Hokkaido Island, some 150 miles west of the Dvina's last recorded position.

Morgenthau Speculated In Corn On June 30, 1947

Ex-Treasury Chief Says He Lost Money

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP) — Henry Morgenthau, Jr., former Secretary of the Treasury, turned up on a government list of grain speculators today — but he said he lost money and "it is obvious I had no inside information."

As a private citizen, the former official sold corn futures last year, long after he resigned from the Cabinet in 1945.

His name was given by the Agriculture Department as a speculator in corn on the Chicago Board of Trade on June 30, 1947.

The department listed Morgenthau as holding 195,000 bushels of corn on the short side of the market. Those on the short side are speculating that prices will go down.

One Of 5,213 Named

Morgenthau's name was one of 5,213 of persons reported to have held corn futures positions in the Chicago market on April 30, 1946, or June 30, 1947.

Officials said they do not know whether any government officials were on these two lists. At the time the names were obtained from brokers under special market surveys, the department did not ask for classification of traders by their occupations.

Publication of names of speculative traders was started in connection with congressional investigations to determine whether "government insiders" had been taking advantage of their situation to make money by trading in commodities. Congress adopted a resolution authorizing Secretary of Agriculture Anderson to disclose names of all traders.

Today's corn list, as have some of the six lists previously released, showed the name of Edwin W. Pauley, an assistant to the Secretary of War. He took his present post last September.

It also contained the names of four Pauley relatives, all reported as holding long positions in corn on the Chicago market June 30, 1947. The Pauleys' positions were listed as follows:

Pauley Holds 350,000 Bushels

Edwin W. Pauley, 350,000 bushels; Harold R. Pauley, a brother, Los Angeles, 100,000; Elbert L. Pauley, their father, San Marino, Calif., 50,000; Aileen T. Pauley, Harold's wife, 100,000, and Marie McHenry, Edwin W. Pauley's mother-in-law, Beverly Hills, Calif., 75,000.

Officials said a Des Moines, Iowa, concern in which former Vice President Henry A. Wallace has a financial interest was among traders in the corn market on April 30, 1946.

It was listed as the "Pioneer H. I. Bred Corn Company." This concern produces and sells hybrid seed

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New Law Ousts Communists From Office In Brazil

Dutra Approves Bill Passed By Deputies

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 7 (AP) — President Eurico Gaspar Dutra put into effect tonight a law abolishing the last legal vestige of Communist activity in Brazil by removing all Communists from elective posts throughout the nation, including congressmen.

Dutra signed the measure after the Chamber of Deputies adopted it, 181 to 74, at the conclusion of the most turbulent legislative session ever held in Brazil. The Senate previously had passed the bill.

Dutra's administration severed diplomatic relations with the Soviet Union last October over articles in the Russian press attacking him and the Brazilian army.

Communists Shout "Traitors"

The 74 votes opposing the bill were mustered from the 14 Communist deputies, a handful of Communist sympathizers and a large group of other deputies, including government party members, who voted against it on grounds of personal conviction.

As the balloting ended, spectators in the chamber galleries and Communist deputies on the floor began shouting "traitors." The Communist members, possibly making their last legal utterances in the chamber, then shouted "Viva Luis Carlos Prestes," in tribute to the party's Brazilian leader, who will lose his Senate seat under the bill.

Communist Deputy Mauricio Garbois shrieked that "this government is rotten and will collapse by a movement of the masses," and cried above the clamor that Dutra's "fascist" regime had sold out to "Wall Street and North American imperialism."

Fist Fights Break Out

Fist fights broke out frequently on the floor of the chamber and at one point during the debate the session was suspended temporarily when three deputies yanked pistols from their clothing and menaced three Communist members. No shots were fired.

The tumult outside the building became almost a riot.

Private citizens exchanged blows on the steps of the building, leftist crowds shouted vengeance on the deputies and police cars raced through downtown Rio De Janeiro with the sirens screaming.

Recount Gives O'Conor 229,664, Markey 228,040

Meyers Pleads Innocent; Trial Set For Feb. 16

Indictment Alleges He Lied To Probers

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8 (AP) — Maj. Gen. Bennett E. Meyers pleaded innocent today to charges that he perjured himself before Senate investigators inquiring into his wartime private deals and that he caused another to swear falsely also.

Federal Judge David A. Pine, before whom Meyers was arraigned, set the trial of the retired Air Force procurement officer for February 16.

Bleriot H. Lamarre, 35, pleaded guilty yesterday to three charges of perjury arising out of the same investigation. Lamarre once told Senate investigators that Meyers had no connection with the Aviation Electric Company of Dayton, O., then changed his story and said the General was the real owner and chief recipient of the firm's profits.

"Dummy" President

In what he called the "true story," Lamarre testified that he was merely a "dummy" president of the wartime supply firm and allowed by Meyers to keep only $3,000 of his $30,000-a-year salary. Lamarre is expected to be the government's principal witness against Meyers.

Meyers entered a firm "not guilty" plea to each of two indictments returned against him by a federal grand jury December 16.

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Vote Probe's First Phase Is Completed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP)—Sen. O'Conor (D-Md) leads with 229,664 votes to 228,040 for D. John Markey, Frederick Republican, in a recount of Maryland's contested senatorial election contest, Sen. Jenner (R-Ind) said today.

The results of the recount, however, "cannot at this time be considered as the official determination" of the investigating Senate subcommittee, Jenner added in a statement.

The group, he explained, "must examine and study the data accumulated by the subcommittee staff for the purpose of determining the legal effect which such data may have on the actual recount."

Markey charges there were errors and irregularities in the voting which gave O'Conor an official margin of 2,232 votes out of a total of 472,232.

Charges To Be Probed

Jenner said his announcement today was on the first phase of the investigation.

The second phase, he added, is an investigation "into the many charges of the contestant Markey, including such factors as alleged excessive campaign expenditures, ghost voting, illegal registration, illegal voting and other alleged infractions of the election laws noted by counsel during the recount of ballots such as seals on ballot boxes not properly placed or missing, poll books not signed by clerks of election, impression ballots and numerous other violations."

Jenner said approximately 250,000 paper ballots had passed through three or four stages of examination.

"All of these ballots have been carefully examined and recounted by challengers for the contestant Markey and the incumbent O'Conor

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Jews In Armored Car Bomb Arabs At Old Jaffa Gate

18 Persons Killed In Two Explosions

JERUSALEM, Jan. 7 (AP) — Jews disguised in blue caps of the Palestine police and driving a stolen armored car hurled two bombs today into Arab crowds at ancient Jaffa gate and a nearby street intersection. Eighteen persons were killed.

Fourteen Arabs died at the gate and three Jews and one Arab were killed at the street intersection.

Two of the Jewish bombers were slain by British police bullets as they sought to escape over the stone wall of an old Moslem cemetery after the second bomb explosion.

Death Toll Reaches 622

The bomb attacks and other violence brought to 622 the number of deaths since the November 29 decision by the United Nations to partition Palestine.

It was the third time in four weeks that the Jews have bombed the Arab-guarded gates of the old walled city in Jerusalem, where 1,500 Orthodox Jews, cut off from the rest of their kinsmen, have been waging snipers' duels with Arab riflemen. British armored cars were used in getting food to the beleaguered Jews yesterday.

In a statement tonight Irgun Zvai Leumi, Jewish extremist underground organization, said the bomb was hurled at the Jaffa gate today in an effort to smash the guard and get additional supplies to the Jews.

42 Persons Injured

An official announcement said that in addition to the Arabs and Jews killed, 42 other persons were injured from the bombs and gunfire.

The roar of the double explosion and the rising column of smoke from the gate zone touched off a half hour of sporadic firing between the old city and the modern city.

Alarmed by the firing and fearing a general Arab attack, Jews hastily barricaded the streets leading to Zion Square with solid rows of parked trucks and automobiles.

The attack occurred as thousands of Christian Arabs celebrated their Christmas under the Julian calendar.

Three High-Salaried Film Personalities Sue Studios

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 7 (AP) — Three high-salaried film personalities filed suit for a total of $3,165,925 today against movie studios which dismissed two of them and suspended the third for refusal to answer questions before a House Committee on un-American Activities, sitting in Washington.

The three are Writers Ring Lardner, Jr., and Lester Cole, and Producer-Director Edward Dmytryk. Lardner and Dmytryk sought damages of $1,382,500 and $1,783,425, respectively while Cole merely asked a court order of declaratory relief and return to the payroll.

The three men and seven other Hollywood writers and film executives were cited for contempt of Congress for refusing to state whether or not they are or had been members of the Communist Party.

Legislative Council To Consider Revision Of State Merit System

BALTIMORE, Jan. 7 (AP) — The Legislative Council voted today to consider revising Maryland's law granting war veterans top priority on eligibility lists of the merit system for state employes.

The council will study the entire system at the suggestion of Sen. Robert Kimble (R-Allegany), who said it should be amended to give "the best, most competent, most efficient persons state jobs."

After J. Milton Patterson, state public welfare director, mentioned the veterans' priorities, Kimble and Sen. Stanford Hoff (R-Carroll) joined in declaring the Maryland law probably is too generous.

Sen. Kimble said it is possible for a Maryland veteran to fail an examination and yet be appointed to a position for which other non-veterans have qualified with high marks. He explained the Maryland law gives a veteran five points toward his examination mark and

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Council Rejects Plan To Deduct Federal Taxes

BALTIMORE, Jan. 7 (AP) — The Legislative Council turned thumbs down today on a proposal that Marylanders be allowed to deduct income taxes paid the federal government from their state returns.

The council, passing five recommendations of its Finance Committee, also voted against sponsoring at the 1949 General Assembly session a withholding of state income taxes.

It approved elimination of the tax on gross receipts of safe deposit and trust companies, reduction of the franchise tax on savings bank deposits, and extended use of the simplified income tax form for salaries up to $10,000.

Marines Sent To Mediterranean Will Bolster Army Morale, Nimitz Asserts

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7 (AP) — Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz asserted today that Marine reinforcements now en route to the Mediterranean were intended to bring naval ship complements to combatant strength as "visible evidence of support close at hand" to Army ground forces.

Nimitz bluntly referred to United States forces at Trieste, where 5,000 men of an American division face Yugoslav ground forces vastly superior in number.

Adm. Nimitz was asked at a press conference the purpose of dispatching 1,000 Marine Corps reinforcements to the Mediterranean from Morehead City, N. C., on Monday.

The purpose, he replied, was to make up "deficiencies" existing in the complements of naval vessels in the Mediterranean in relation to wartime standards.

The Marines, he state, will be used to fill out stations in gun turrets and gun batteries now undermanned by ship's personnel. This, he added, was in addition to ship police duties regularly assigned Marine forces.

"In the Mediterranean," Nimitz said carefully, "we would like to keep our ships as near war standards as possible."

Just the Mediterranean, he was asked.

"Yes."

Asked why, he replied:

"Because the Mediterranean is a very important area for us.

"Wherever the United States has forces ashore, those forces are entitled to have visible evidence of support close at hand.

"We have 5,000 men at Trieste. They are in a very difficult position. I don't have to tell you about it. They are entitled to know they have support at hand or a few hours away."

Slayer Can "Clear Up" More Cases

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Jan. 7. (AP)—Warden Tom Smith, of the Washington State Prison, announced today that Jake Bird, condemned negro axe slayer, had said he could "clear up" 10 more slayings over the country, including the unsolved killing of Lillian Galvin and her maid in Chicago in 1942.

The 45-year-old negro transient, sentenced to hang January 16 for killing a Tacoma, Wash., woman last October 30, asked for an attorney, the warden said.

Last week, Bird admitted complicity in 12 slayings over the country the past 20 years, Pierce County Undersheriff Joseph Karpach announced. They included the killing of Mrs. Bertha Kludt, Tacoma, for which he was convicted of first degree murder, and her daughter.

Smith emphasized that Bird did not say he committed the additional 10 killings, but only that he could clear them up.

In the Chicago case, Mrs. Lillian Galvin and her maid, Edna Sibilliski, were killed October 22, 1942, and $28,000 in jewelry and three fur coats valued at more than $3,000 were taken from their home, prison officials said.

Tonight, it was disclosed that a petition was being drafted to be served upon Warden Smith and Pierce County Prosecutor Patrick Steele, Tacoma, who has been acting as a special investigator for Gov. Mon V. Wallgren, asking that a stay of execution be granted. It is hoped that the petition will be relayed and reach the Governor tomorrow or the next day.

U. S., Britain Warn Soviet Satellites.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP) — The United States and Great Britain today warned Yugoslavia and Bulgaria of the "serious implications" that would result from recognition of the so-called "free state" proclaimed by Communist guerrillas in Northern Greece.

American and British diplomatic representatives called on the foreign ministers of the two Russian Balkan satellites to serve notice that such recognition would be clearly contrary to the principles of the United Nations charter. It would amount, the United States representatives said, to "open disregard of the recent recommendations of the United Nations Assembly" which sent a special commission to investigate the Balkan conflict.

Michael J. McDermott, State Department press officer, told reporters the warning was conveyed orally and represented the American position as first stated by Undersecretary of State Lovett December 30.

At that time Lovett told a news conference that future American moves would depend on the circumstances.

Since then the Navy has dispatched tank-supported marines to naval forces now in the Mediterranean and has assigned Vice Adm. Forrest P. Sherman, who was chief planning officer for Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz, to command the Mediterranean task force.

Today's diplomatic moves capped a series of developments arising from the proclamation Christmas week of the Communist state by Markos Vafiades, Greek guerrilla leader, who simultaneously launched an abortive offensive to capture Konitsa to serve as the capital for the "free state."

Police Seek Missing Hood College Freshman

FREDERICK, Md., Jan. 7. (AP)—Police throughout the mid-Atlantic states were asked today to join in the search for 18-year-old Ann Lorenzo, Newton, N. J., missing since early Tuesday from Hood College, where she was a freshman.

At Newton, police said they were unable to supply any clues to her whereabouts and there was no answer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lorenzo.

Hood College authorities said a roommate saw Ann after she checked in at the building Tuesday morning upon her return from the Christmas holidays. There was a telephone call for her last night and it was discovered she was gone and that most of her clothes were missing from the room.

Judge W. J. McWilliams Resigns; Candidate Files

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 7 (AP)—The resignation of Judge William J. McWilliams from the Fifth Judicial Circuit bench was announced today and one candidate already is in the field to replace him.

Gov. Lane said he would "reluctantly" accept McWilliams' resignation as of March 1, but was not yet prepared to appoint a replacement.

The possibility of a contest over the judgeship was confirmed when Noah A. Hillman, Annapolis attorney, disclosed he had already filed as a candidate on both party tickets with the Secretary of State.

State House attaches said Hillman's certificates of candidacy had been forwarded to Attorney General Hall Hammond, as a question existed whether he should have filed with supervisors of election in the three counties of the circuit, rather than with the state.

Flying Saucers Sailing Kentucky Skies Again

FORT KNOX, Ky., Jan. 7 (AP) — Flying saucers are said to be sailing Kentucky skies again.

The object spotted early this afternoon by Col. Guy F. Hix, commander of Godman Field here, was chased by National Guard planes and followed from the ground by state highway patrolmen.

Col. Hix said he spotted the "saucer" from the airport's observation tower and that it was "very white and looked like an umbrella."

He radioed three National Guard planes to follow the object and the pilots reported later they were 20,000 feet high and the saucer was still above them. They estimated its speed at about 180 miles per hour.

BRT Announces Drive For 15-Day Vacation

CLEVELAND, Jan. 7 (AP) — The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, which recently reached a rules and wage agreement with the nation's carriers, announced a new drive today for 15-day vacations and time and a half pay for Sunday and holiday work.

General chairmen of the union also authorized BRT President A. F. Whitney "to implement a national wage movement should inflation continue on its reckless orgy."

Whitney was directed by the chairmen to start negotiations on the vacation and overtime pay demands with the "greatest possible dispatch."

Big Ship Fails

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headed for San Juan where he is stationed.

Eick said the plane, a converted Army C-47, operated by Coastal Airlines, a charter service, had trouble in the fuel feeding system while flying at about 3,000 feet. He said the pilot, preparing for a crash landing, ordered him to have the passengers fasten their seat belts.

Before he could alert all the passengers, the plane began to lose altitude. Eick said he headed back for the control compartment. Before he could reach the controls, one wing of the big ship struck the marshland. An explosion followed. The co-pilot was blown clear of the wreckage. Rescuers found him clothed only in a necktie and shoes.

Morgenthau Speculated

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corn, a high yielding type of seed which Wallace helped to develop.

Officials said Morgenthau apparently lost money on his operations because, they explained, anyone on the short side of the market at that time was "in a pretty bad way." Corn, instead of going down as Morgenthau and many other traders had expected, started rising sharply in the early summer after it became aparent that the crop, plagued by bad weather, would be a poor one.

Major Unions Quit ALP After Party Plumps For Wallace For President

NEW YORK, Jan. 7—(AP)—The New York State American Labor Party today plumped for Henry A. Wallace for President but the endorsement caused several big unions to quit the party.

The party split attracted wide attention from political observers who felt it might have an important bearing on the disposition of New York State's 47 electoral votes in the 1948 presidential campaign.

The walkout from the ALP was led by the CIO Amalgamated Clothing Workers, one of the party's leading segments both in voting strength and financial backing. It also included the CIO United Automobile Workers, the CIO United Steel Workers, the AFL Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, and others. The Amalgamated alone places its membership in the state at 135,000. The Auto and Steel workers and Railway clerks were estimated to have about 115,000 members in New York state.

The split made it problematical how many votes the ALP, which functions only in this state, could deliver in the 1948 election.

The party rolled up 496,405 votes for President Franklin D. Roosevelt four years ago and was a major factor in that race because Roosevelt's margin over Gov. Thomas E. Dewey in New York state was only 316,591.

Human Blumberg, state ALP chairman and executive vice president of the Amalgamated, resigned as the top party executive, declaring "a third party in 1948 must inevitably play into the hands of labor's enemies."

NLRB Told ITU Proposed Overall Pact Last July

CHICAGO, Jan. 7 (AP)—A publishers representative testified today that the AFL International Typographical Union, after the enactment of the Taft-Hartley labor law last July, proposed for the first time in 23 years "an overall (national) agreement to keep the closed shop in effect."

The closed shop is prohibited by the Taft-Hartley law. In some current ITU strikes against newspapers the publishers contend the union is trying to circumvent this law. The union denies this, saying the strike issue is wages — a contention the publishers deny.

The testimony today formally opened a National Labor Relations Board hearing in Chicago, expected to continue three to six weeks, on NLRB charges of unfair labor practices by the ITU.

George N. Dale, Chicago, chairman of a special standing committee on labor relations for the American Newspaper Publishers Association, testified that from 1924 to last summer the ITU had worked under local, rather than nationwide, contracts with ANPA members.

Recount Gives

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under the close supervision of committee investigators," he continued.

"Those ballots considered questionable by challengers with respect to initials or marks made by the voter were set aside, counted and reviewed by counsel for Markey and O'Conor. All ballots upon which counsel could not agree with respect to their validity or invalidity were referred to the subcommittee for final disposition.

Uniform Rule Applied

"Of the approximately 250,000 paper ballots in 22 of the 23 counties in Maryland, the 23rd county being Montgomery County used voting machines as used in Baltimore City, the subcommittee was obliged to make the final decision on approximately 30,000 ballots.

"With respect to these ballots, the subcommittee applied a uniform rule throughout the state and rejected ballots which it found to be invalid under the interpretation of the Maryland law.

"The result of the actual recount shows Sen. O'Conor with 229,664 votes and the contestant Markey receiving 228,040."

Meyers Pleads

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One three-count indictment alleges that he lied to Senate investigators by denying he had any connection with Aviation Electric, that the firm had bought him a new automobile and that it had paid $10,000 to have his Washington apartment redecorated. The other indictment, also containing three counts, charges he induced Lamarre to tell the same falsehoods.

Maximum Penalty 60 Years

The maximum penalty on each count is 10 years in prison, or a total of 60 years if he should be convicted on all six counts.

Judge Pine gave defense attorneys 10 days to file motions attacking the indictments.

Meyers was taken to the marshall's office to be fingerprinted and photographed. Then, through William J. O'Neil, whose business cards say "bondsman any where, any time," Meyers posted two new bonds of $1,000 each. He had been at liberty on one $2,000 bond, but Judge Pine said bond had to be posted on each indictment.

Legislative Council

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once he is passed he is put at the top of the list.

"We must admit it is discrimination," Kimble declared.

Patterson reported he was "having some difficulty in administering" his department because of the preferences.

Kimble suggested the entire merit system be looked into, saying "let's look at the political manipulation . . ."

The Allegany Senator described, with implied criticism, the system of appointments when no veteran is on the list. "The employment commissioner may submit to the department head not the man with the highest mark, but five names.

"The department head, at his discretion, may appoint any one of the five. For various reasons, not political of course, the department head may pick the fifth person and not the best qualified."

Knutson Says

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Ill.) said the proposal would be "beneficial to the little fellow and might prove a great aid in keeping down demands for wage increases." He added:

"It seems to me that with profits at their high levels, corporations can afford to pay higher taxes."

Three Persons Drown In Oregon Floodwaters

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 7 (AP)—Three persons trapped in a stalled cable-operated ferry and a motorist who took to horseback when his car became mired, drowned in Raging Oregon floodwaters which reached their crests today and began to recede slightly.

Here, at this upper Willamette Valley city, 1,400 persons were evacuated without casualty last night when the Willamette surged to a 15.7-foot peak—3.7 above flood stage.

Appeals To High Court

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP)—The Supreme Court today was asked to ban segregation of negro and white students in public education systems. The plea was made by counsel for a negro, Ada Lois Sipuel, who was denied admission to the law school of the University of Oklahoma.

Yugoslavia Seeks Loan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP)—The 46-nation World Bank announced today that Yugoslavia has asked for a $500,000,000 loan.

Weather In Nearby States

WEST VIRGINIA and **WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA** — Considerable cloudiness and slightly warmer followed by light snow tonight and tomorrow.

Price Of Auto Tires To First Users Hiked

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP)—Reports from Akron that the price of tires to automobile makers and other first users had been increased by about five per cent were confirmed here today by one of the big four—B. F. Goodrich Company.

A spokesman for the Goodrich firm said higher production costs necessitated the rise in the finished product.

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or creed, or color" must be abolished. He will send Congress a special message on the subject.

2—Our natural resources must be further developed and "we must vigorously defend our natural wealth against those who would misuse it for selfish gain."

3—Farmers, with a 1946 average income of $779, should be enabled to approach the $1,288 average of non-farm workers and all low incomes should be increased. One fifth of our families, he said, have incomes less than $850 a year.

4—Industry should invest at least $50,000,000,000 in the next few years to help increase our present record production by one-third. Firm action should be taken against "the concentration of economic power and other elements of monopoly."

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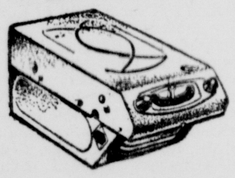

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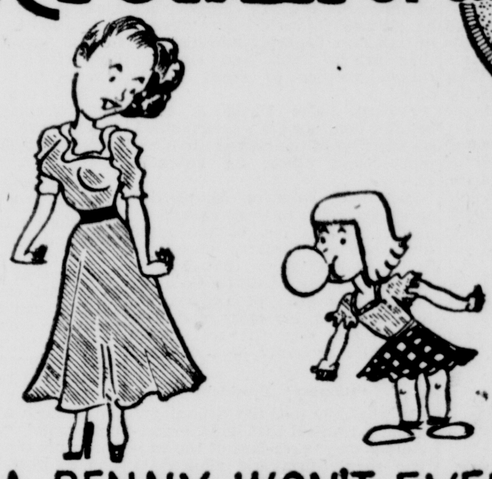

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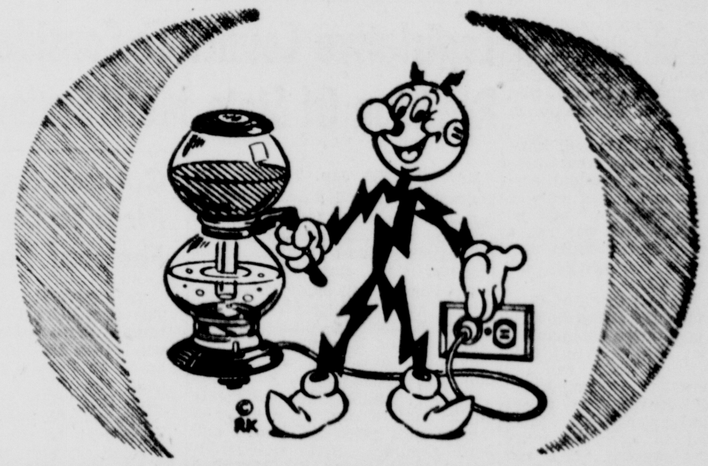

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U. S., Britain Warn Soviet Satellites.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP) — The United States and Great Britain today warned Yugoslavia and Bulgaria of the "serious implications" that would result from recognition of the so-called "free state" proclaimed by Communist guerrillas in Northern Greece.

American and British diplomatic representatives called on the foreign ministers of the two Russian Balkan satellites to serve notice that such recognition would be clearly contrary to the principles of the United Nations charter. It would amount, the United States representatives said, to "open disregard of the recent recommendations of the United Nations Assembly" which sent a special commission to investigate the Balkan conflict.

Michael J. McDermott, State Department press officer, told reporters the warning was conveyed orally and represented the American position as first stated by Undersecretary of State Lovett December 30.

At that time Lovett told a news conference that future American moves would depend on the circumstances.

Since then the Navy has dispatched tank-supported marines to naval forces now in the Mediterranean and has assigned Vice Adm. Forrest P. Sherman, who was chief planning officer for Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz, to command the Mediterranean task force.

Today's diplomatic moves capped a series of developments arising from the proclamation Christmas week of the Communist state by Markos Vafiades, Greek guerrilla leader, who simultaneously launched an abortive offensive to capture Konitsa to serve as the capital for the "free state."

Police Seek Missing Hood College Freshman

FREDERICK, Md., Jan. 7. (AP)—Police throughout the mid-Atlantic states were asked today to join in the search for 18-year-old Ann Lorenzo, Newton, N. J., missing since early Tuesday from Hood College, where she was a freshman.

At Newton, police said they were unable to supply any clues to her whereabouts and there was no answer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lorenzo.

Hood College authorities said a roommate saw Ann after she checked in at the building Tuesday morning upon her return from the Christmas holidays. There was a telephone call for her last night and it was discovered she was gone and that most of her clothes were missing from the room.

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Judge W. J. McWilliams Resigns; Candidate Files

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 7 (AP)—The resignation of Judge William J. McWilliams from the Fifth Judicial Circuit bench was announced today and one candidate already is in the field to replace him.

Gov. Lane said he would "reluctantly" accept McWilliams' resignation as of March 1, but was not yet prepared to appoint a replacement.

The possibility of a contest over the judgeship was confirmed when Noah A. Hillman, Annapolis attorney, disclosed he had already filed as a candidate on both party tickets with the Secretary of State.

State House attaches said Hillman's certificates of candidacy had been forwarded to Attorney General Hall Hammond, as a question existed whether he should have filed with supervisors of election in the three counties of the circuit, rather than with the state.

Flying Saucers Sailing Kentucky Skies Again

FORT KNOX, Ky., Jan. 7 (AP) — Flying saucers are said to be sailing Kentucky skies again.

The object spotted early this afternoon by Col. Guy F. Hix, commander of Godman Field here, was chased by National Guard planes and followed from the ground by state highway patrolmen.

Col. Hix said he spotted the "saucer" from the airport's observation tower and that it was "very white and looked like an umbrella."

He radioed three National Guard planes to follow the object and the pilots reported later they were 20,000 feet high and the saucer was still above them. They estimated its speed at about 180 miles per hour.

BRT Announces Drive For 15-Day Vacation

CLEVELAND, Jan. 7 (AP) — The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, which recently reached a rules and wage agreement with the nation's carriers, announced a new drive today for 15-day vacations and time and a half pay for Sunday and holiday work.

General chairmen of the union also authorized BRT President A. F. Whitney "to implement a national wage movement should inflation continue on its reckless orgy."

Whitney was directed by the chairmen to start negotiations on the vacation and overtime pay demands with the "greatest possible dispatch."

Big Ship Fails

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headed for San Juan where he is stationed.

Eick said the plane, a converted Army C-47, operated by Coastal Airlines, a charter service, had trouble in the fuel feeding system while flying at about 3,000 feet. He said the pilot, preparing for a crash landing, ordered him to have the passengers fasten their seat belts.

Before he could alert all the passengers, the plane began to lose altitude. Eick said he headed back for the control compartment. Before he could reach the controls, one wing of the big ship struck the marshland. An explosion followed. The co-pilot was blown clear of the wreckage. Rescuers found him clothed only in a necktie and shoes.

Morgenthau Speculated

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corn, a high yielding type of seed which Wallace helped to develop.

Officials said Morgenthau apparently lost money on his operations because, they explained, anyone on the short side of the market at that time was "in a pretty bad way." Corn, instead of going down as Morgenthau and many other traders had expected, started rising sharply in the early summer after it became aparent that the crop, plagued by bad weather, would be a poor one.

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Major Unions Quit ALP After Party Plumps For Wallace For President

NEW YORK, Jan. 7—(AP)—The New York State American Labor Party today plumped for Henry A. Wallace for President but the endorsement caused several big unions to quit the party.

The party split attracted wide attention from political observers who felt it might have an important bearing on the disposition of New York State's 47 electoral votes in the 1948 presidential campaign.

The walkout from the ALP was led by the CIO Amalgamated Clothing Workers, one of the party's leading segments both in voting strength and financial backing. It also included the CIO United Automobile Workers, the CIO United Steel Workers, the AFL Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, and others. The Amalgamated alone places its membership in the state at 135,000. The Auto and Steel workers and Railway clerks were estimated to have about 115,000 members in New York state.

The split made it problematical how many votes the ALP, which functions only in this state, could deliver in the 1948 election.

The party rolled up 496,405 votes for President Franklin D. Roosevelt four years ago and was a major factor in that race because Roosevelt's margin over Gov. Thomas E. Dewey in New York state was only 316,591.

Human Blumberg, state ALP chairman and executive vice president of the Amalgamated, resigned as the top party executive, declaring "a third party in 1948 must inevitably play into the hands of labor's enemies."

NLRB Told ITU Proposed Overall Pact Last July

CHICAGO, Jan. 7 (AP)—A publishers representative testified today that the AFL International Typographical Union, after the enactment of the Taft-Hartley labor law last July, proposed for the first time in 23 years "an overall (national) agreement to keep the closed shop in effect."

The closed shop is prohibited by the Taft-Hartley law. In some current ITU strikes against newspapers the publishers contend the union is trying to circumvent this law. The union denies this, saying the strike issue is wages — a contention the publishers deny.

The testimony today formally opened a National Labor Relations Board hearing in Chicago, expected to continue three to six weeks, on NLRB charges of unfair labor practices by the ITU.

George N. Dale, Chicago, chairman of a special standing committee on labor relations for the American Newspaper Publishers Association, testified that from 1924 to last summer the ITU had worked under local, rather than nationwide, contracts with ANPA members.

Recount Gives

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under the close supervision of committee investigators," he continued.

"Those ballots considered questionable by challengers with respect to initials or marks made by the voter were set aside, counted and reviewed by counsel for Markey and O'Conor. All ballots upon which counsel could not agree with respect to their validity or invalidity were referred to the subcommittee for final disposition.

Uniform Rule Applied

"Of the approximately 250,000 paper ballots in 22 of the 23 counties in Maryland, the 23rd county being Montgomery County used voting machines as used in Baltimore City, the subcommittee was obliged to make the final decision on approximately 30,000 ballots.

"With respect to these ballots, the subcommittee applied a uniform rule throughout the state and rejected ballots which it found to be invalid under the interpretation of the Maryland law.

"The result of the actual recount shows Sen. O'Conor with 229,664 votes and the contestant Markey receiving 228,040."

Meyers Pleads

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One three-count indictment alleges that he lied to Senate investigators by denying he had any connection with Aviation Electric, that the firm had bought him a new automobile and that it had paid $10,000 to have his Washington apartment redecorated. The other indictment, also containing three counts, charges he induced Lamarre to tell the same falsehoods.

Maximum Penalty 60 Years

The maximum penalty on each count is 10 years in prison, or a total of 60 years if he should be convicted on all six counts.

Judge Pine gave defense attorneys 10 days to file motions attacking the indictments.

Meyers was taken to the marshall's office to be fingerprinted and photographed. Then, through William J. O'Neil, whose business cards say "bondsman any where, any time," Meyers posted two new bonds of $1,000 each. He had been at liberty on one $2,000 bond, but Judge Pine said bond had to be posted on each indictment.

Legislative Council

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once he is passed he is put at the top of the list.

"We must admit it is discrimination," Kimble declared.

Patterson reported he was "having some difficulty in administering" his department because of the preferences.

Kimble suggested the entire merit system be looked into, saying "let's look at the political manipulation . . ."

The Allegany Senator described, with implied criticism, the system of appointments when no veteran is on the list. "The employment commissioner may submit to the department head not the man with the highest mark, but five names.

"The department head, at his discretion, may appoint any one of the five. For various reasons, not political of course, the department head may pick the fifth person and not the best qualified."

Knutson Says

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Ill.) said the proposal would be "beneficial to the little fellow and might prove a great aid in keeping down demands for wage increases." He added:

"It seems to me that with profits at their high levels, corporations can afford to pay higher taxes."

Three Persons Drown In Oregon Floodwaters

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 7 (AP)—Three persons trapped in a stalled cable-operated ferry and a motorist who took to horseback when his car became mired, drowned in Raging Oregon floodwaters which reached their crests today and began to recede slightly.

Here, at this upper Willamette Valley city, 1,400 persons were evacuated without casualty last night when the Willamette surged to a 15.7-foot peak—3.7 above flood stage.

Appeals To High Court

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP)—The Supreme Court today was asked to ban segregation of negro and white students in public education systems. The plea was made by counsel for a negro, Ada Lois Sipuel, who was denied admission to the law school of the University of Oklahoma.

Yugoslavia Seeks Loan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP)—The 46-nation World Bank announced today that Yugoslavia has asked for a $500,000,000 loan.

Weather In Nearby States

WEST VIRGINIA and WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA — Considerable cloudiness and slightly warmer followed by light snow tonight and tomorrow.

Price Of Auto Tires To First Users Hiked

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP)—Reports from Akron that the price of tires to automobile makers and other first users had been increased by about five per cent were confirmed here today by one of the big four—B. F. Goodrich Company.

A spokesman for the Goodrich firm said higher production costs necessitated the rise in the finished product.

Nation's Chief

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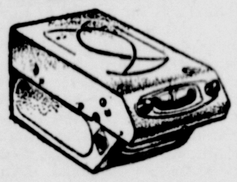

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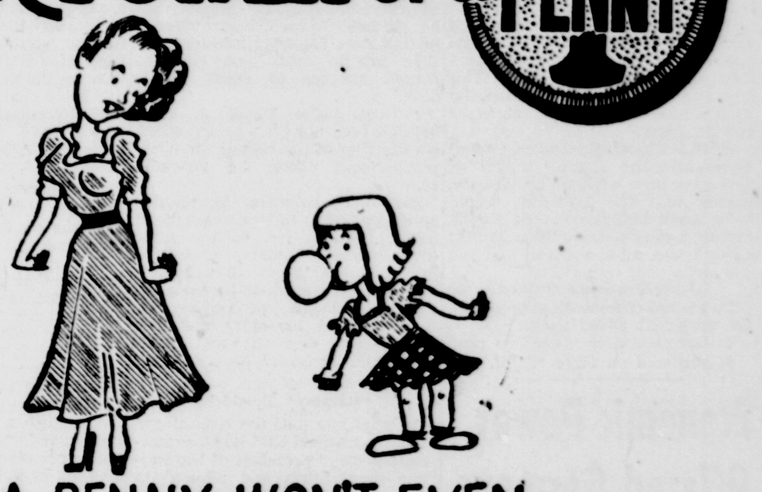

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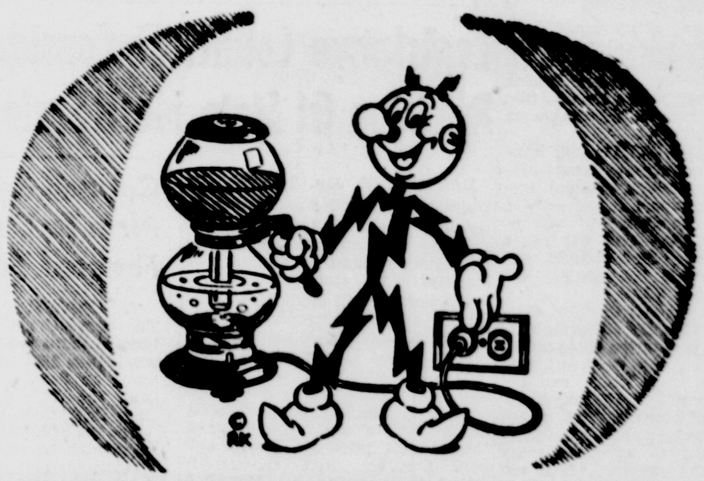

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Lonaconing, Md., Jan. 6, '48.
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"Having carried out numerous strategic and tactical missions against Italian targets during my tour as a 15th Air Force bombardier, and having lived and studied later in the homes and schools of the Italian people, I have been, and am, quite interested in the economic recovery and welfare of the country in general. I have been, therefore, following quite closely the Drew Pearson reports as written from Italy concerning present day activity and, of course, the Friendship train.

"The last five paragraphs of the column, as published in the News on Monday, January 5, you will note, concern the city of Cassino, its destruction, and its rebuilding. After reading one short portion of Mr. Pearson's story of this now famous community, I have come to the conclusion that he must certainly be ignorant of the true facts concerning the bombing in that area. His column reads, in part—'The 7,000 people of Cassino lived in ancient hand-built houses at the foot of the mountain. When our bombers came over they weren't always accurate and every time they missed the monastery, Cassino's hillside homes rocketed skyward to start a new avalanche down the mountain. The whole town was levelled.'

"It is hard to believe, but I take it, and I believe quite properly so after reading this brief message, that the writer is under the false impression that today the whole of Cassino lies in ruins as a result of faulty sighting on the part of those vested with the responsibility of hitting the abbey atop the nearby mountain. More unbelievable yet is the fact that such an impression would be passed, unchecked, to an unsuspecting and believing reading public.

"At any rate, let me assure you that, according to more reliable news sources, Cassino was leveled as the direct result of accurate sighting by bombardiers who knew their business—not by sloppy bombing as indicated in the words which I have quoted. The abbey, itself, was destroyed on February 15, 1944, and I'll grant that a few bombs probably fell along the slope overlooking the town. What Mr. Pearson is apparently ignorant of, however, is the fact that on March 15, exactly one month after the bombing of the abbey, the town of Cassino was crushed to rubble under what has been termed the heaviest concentrated aerial bombardment that had been, until that time, inflicted on any single military target. This large scale operation was aimed at pin point targets within the city and was acclaimed by the Air Forces as a success.

"I pass this information on in the hope that you, in respect to those airmen who risked their necks over both the abbey and the city, might wish to correct the false impression conveyed by Mr. Pearson's words."

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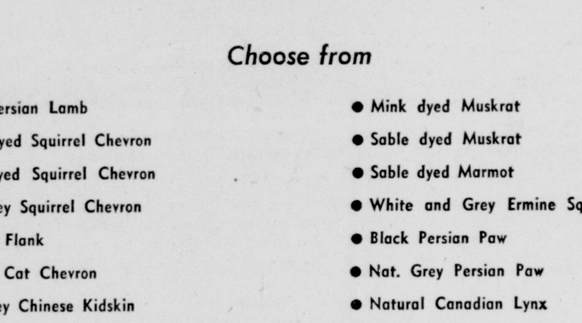

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In Mail Bag

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Lonaconing, Md., Jan. 6, '48.
Editor, The Cumberland News,
Cumberland, Md.
Dear Sir:

"Having carried out numerous strategic and tactical missions against Italian targets during my tour as a 15th Air Force bombardier, and having lived and studied later in the homes and schools of the Italian people, I have been, and am, quite interested in the economic recovery and welfare of the country in general. I have been, therefore, following quite closely the Drew Pearson reports as written from Italy concerning present day activity and, of course, the Friendship train.

"The last five paragraphs of the column, as published in the News on Monday, January 5, you will note, concern the city of Cassino, its destruction, and its rebuilding. After reading one short portion of Mr. Pearson's story of this now famous community, I have come to the conclusion that he must certainly be ignorant of the true facts concerning the bombing in that area. His column reads, in part—'The 7,000 people of Cassino lived in ancient hand-built houses at the foot of the mountain. When our bombers came over they weren't always accurate and every time they missed the monastery, Cassino's hillside homes rocketed skyward to start a new avalanche down the mountain. The whole town was levelled.'

"It is hard to believe, but I take it, and I believe quite properly so after reading this brief message, that the writer is under the false impression that today the whole of Cassino lies in ruins as a result of faulty sighting on the part of those vested with the responsibility of hitting the abbey atop the nearby mountain. More unbelievable yet is the fact that such an impression would be passed, unchecked, to an unsuspecting and believing reading public.

"At any rate, let me assure you that, according to more reliable news sources, Cassino was leveled as the direct result of accurate sighting by bombardiers who knew their business—not by sloppy bombing as indicated in the words which I have quoted. The abbey, itself, was destroyed on February 15, 1944, and I'll grant that a few bombs probably fell along the slope overlooking the town. What Mr. Pearson is apparently ignorant of, however, is the fact that on March 15, exactly one month after the bombing of the abbey, the town of Cassino was crushed to rubble under what has been termed the heaviest concentrated aerial bombardment that had been, until that time, inflicted on any single military target. This large scale operation was aimed at pin point targets within the city and was acclaimed by the Air Forces as a success.

"I pass this information on in the hope that you, in respect to those airmen who risked their necks over both the abbey and the city, might wish to correct the false impression conveyed by Mr. Pearson's words."

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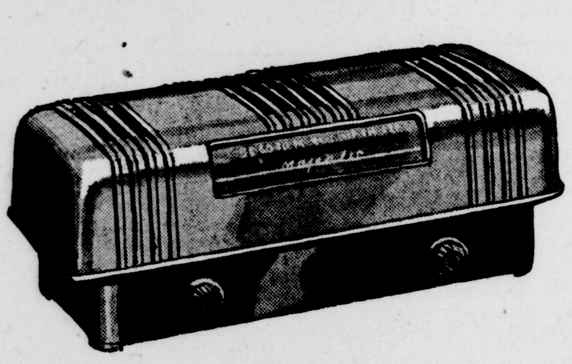

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Pres. Truman And Taxes; What Those Vetoes Cost You

Speaker Martin's forthright stand in favor of House enactment of a tax-reduction bill at the earliest possible moment removes all doubt that passage by this branch of Congress, probably by February 1, will follow.

If President Truman again vetoes a tax-reduction bill, support of one-third of Democrats in House and Senate will be required to pass it over his veto. Some Democrats in Congress are now beginning to talk of lower taxes. It was lack of Democratic votes that defeated Republican attempts twice last year to pass tax-reduction bills over Truman's veto.

While Democratic members were reported to be writing a bill to reduce income taxes by $3,500,000,000, in contrast to a Republican proposal of $5,500,000,000 reduction, President Truman, in an effort to take the spotlight away from Republicans in a presidential year, comes up with a proposal that Congress vote every individual taxpayer an immediate $40 tax cut for himself and each dependent. He would raise corporation taxes by $3,200,000,000 to offset it. But Mr. Truman will not be consistent if he approves any bill to reduce present confiscatory tax rates.

The same fallacious arguments which Truman used to veto other tax reduction measures still apply. He said tax reduction is inflationary. The fact is, of course, that high taxes and government spending, especially for scarce commodities, are inflationary. He said there cannot be both tax reduction and debt reduction, another fallacy. Both are possible if government extravagance is reduced.

President Truman is alleged to be planning a budget $3,000,000,000 higher than the current one, or in excess of $40,000,000,000. Tax reduction properly accompanies reduction in government expenditures, and if the administration can prevent it, there will be no such reduction.

If Truman signs a tax reduction bill, there is little doubt that the campaign year will be the decisive factor. For by the President's own words tax reduction is inadvisable now or probably at any time during the term of the Marshall Plan, if, and it is expected Congress will, approve the modified form suggested by Republicans and agreed to by Mr. Truman.

But, with 1947 behind you, it is pertinent to round up what Mr. Truman's two vetoes of the bills passed by the last Congress to cut income taxes cost to you. Those bills proposed to cut taxes from 30 per cent to 10.5 per cent, depending on income.

Let us assume that you are in what are called the lower income brackets and that your withholding tax is $6.80 a week. To date, those vetoes have cost you $40.00—not a great deal, of course, but enough to fit yourself out with a suit of clothes and a pair of shoes, possibly to pay all or most of a month's rent.

Now, let us assume that your income is in what are called the middle brackets, and that your withholding tax is $19.40 a week. To date those vetoes have cost you $139.20. With that sum you could have made a number of useful and necessary purchases, had something of a vacation if you chose—or banked it.

In the upper brackets? Though the bill would cut taxes 10.5 per cent, as against 30 per cent in the lower brackets, the President said that would be too much of a lift anyway. Indeed, one of the reasons he advanced for refusing to help anybody is that it would help the upper bracket taxpayer too much.

And so, Mr. Truman held on to the big surplus in national income and deprived some 40,000,000 American taxpayers of the relief that Congress had voted them. Was it because he did not want a Republican Congress—plus, incidentally, most of the Democrats in the House—to get the credit? If so, that would be Kansas City gang-thinking with a vengeance. No matter, a record has been made which directly concerns the voter.

Petrillo's Line Of Argument Is Ridiculous

Record makers built up a gigantic backlog in anticipation of Petrillo's ban on manufacture of the discs, now in effect. Petrillo says that never, never will production be resumed. He repeats it again and again and again.

This character says that, to insure "his" musicians jobs, they must be hired for each performance. How ridiculous.

When dictating letters, Petrillo should not ask for two or more copies. He should hire a typist to produce each copy. If mechanical duplication causes unemployment among musicians, does it not have the same effect on stenographers?

Suppose the printer demanded that only one copy be struck from the type he has set, the machine setter in the factory insisted that only one turning could be performed on the lathe, music publishers made a rule that only one playing could be made from the printed score, which must then be torn up and consigned to the wastebasket.

Such suppositions could be carried out to infinitude. Petrillo's idea, carried to its ridiculous extremes, would catapult the world back into the Dark Ages. It is reasonable to predict his final defeat on a proposition that is as silly as anything heard since ignoramuses more than a century ago solemnly averred that riding on one of the new-fangled railroad trains would kill the passengers, that the human system wasn't designed to withstand speeds of 25 miles an hour.

But obviously, something must be done to curb the power of the Petrillos to interfere with the rights of other human beings. It is obvious that the Taf-Hartley Act as passed over Truman's veto doesn't go far enough, instead of going too far, as the vote-conscious President averred.

Heat's On

Six scientists, experimenting on themselves, have successfully withstood 15 minutes in a room heated to 250 degrees Fahrenheit.

With an investigation of alleged grain speculation by high government officials on the horizon, it may be that news of this experiment will be cheering to several members of both parties.

"'48 will be more or less a duplicate of '47, Babson declares." Come, come, Roger—which is it to be?

HOW TO KEEP WELL

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made, under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is enclosed. Dr. Van Dellen will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases.

The Home Medicine Chest

THE MEDICINE chest is an institution in itself and most physicians can tell the character of their patients by looking over its contents. "Ailing" and "nervous" individuals are inclined to store enough medicine, both patent and otherwise, to start a drug store.

The practice of making every home a hospital is inadvisable and the medicine cabinet should accommodate only emergency items. It is important that drugs be kept out of reach of children and, if possible, locked up. The space above the sink is a popular storage site but is potentially dangerous inasmuch as medicines and toilet articles stand side by side. It is better to select a shelf in the linen closet or have a special carton to hold all bottles, jars, and boxes of medicines. Everything ought to be dated and those that are not should be thrown away because some products lose their strength on standing; others become more powerful. If a prescription, ordered for a specific disease, has not been finished, it should be discarded. Many persons hang on to old bottles as though they were family treasures. Every article should be labeled and the word POISON written in large letters. By strapping down the cork or top with adhesive tape, mistakes are less likely to occur.

There is little sense in including carbolic acid, bichloride of mercury, and iodine as much better and safer remedies are on the market. Most families like to have a laxative. Castor oil and Epsom or Rochelle salts produce rapid elimination; cascara sagrada and mineral oil are milder. Without going into the subject of constipation, it might be stated that a physician should be consulted when it seems necessary to use drugs of this type regularly.

Aromatic spirits of ammonia is worthy of a place in the medicine cabinet as a stimulant but coffee or whisky will sometimes do as well. Baking soda or essence of peppermint help that occasional attack of indigestion. A bland ointment such as zinc oxide, petroleum jelly, olive oil, or calamine may prove helpful in skin irritations. Aspirin affords temporary relief for headaches, colds, and arthritis. Whether a sedative should be added to the list is an individual problem which the physiciain should decide. A clinical thermometer should be included.

A first aid kit will supply the essential aids for cuts and bruises. It should contain cotton, bandages, and adhesive. Washing such lesions with soap and water helps to wash away germs hence the use of iodine is discouraged. If an antiseptic is required, one of the newer detergents such as zephiran solution is advised. Rubbing alcohol also has disinfectant qualities and deserves a place in the cabinet.

FACIAL PARALYSIS

F. B. writes: My wife went riding one afternoon and the next day the right side of her face was paralyzed. Her tongue is numb and when she laughs or talks it is out of the side of her mouth. The doctor claims it is a cold in the nerve. What can be done for her?

REPLY

Your wife is probably afflicted with Bell's palsy which usually heals in time altho injections of vitamin B may hasten recovery. Occasionally some telltale evidence of the disorder remains.

SKIN CANCER

M. H. writes: I would appreciate some information on a rodent ulcer.

REPLY

This is an erosion which results from a tiny skin cancer. It grows slowly and is not highly malignant. These lesions respond well to treatment unless shamefully neglected.

STRAYING JOINT

J. D. writes: What causes an arm to jump out of its socket at times? This is painful.

REPLY

Recurrent dislocation is responsible and is due primarily to overstretching or tearing of the capsule surrounding the joint. When this stage is reached, surgery is the only cure.

HEAD AND EYE PAIN

L. A. writes: Can histamine headache cause pain in one eye?

REPLY

Yes, in conjunction with distress on that side of the head.

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It Says Here

By BOB HOPE

Shoplifting is one thing, but this is ridiculous.

A burglar in Gooding, Iowa, really got carried away in his work. He actually stole a 20-ton bridge. He must have started as a little boy on erector sets and worked his way up.

If he had been around in 1803 he wouldn't have had to purchase Louisiana.

But this is no petty larceny. One of these days our headlines will read: "Crime Wave Hits Chicago . . . One of Our Cities Is Missing."

If this goes on, I can see a crook handing his wife a map and saying, "What do you want for your birthday, dear?"

And pickpockets will be a real menace. They used to go to Santa Anita and take the customers. Now they'll go to Santa Anita and take Santa Anita.

And when a guy starts out in the racket they'll give him an audition before they'll let him into the gang. The chief will turn to him and say, "See what you can do with Cucamonga."

But what does a guy do with a hot city? He takes it to a fence. Of course, he'll have a tough time trying to find a fence big enough to hold Texas.

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THERE'S SOMEONE KNOCKING AT THE DOOR

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Venezuelan "White Paper" Makes Grave Charges Against Rafael Trujillo And Dominican Republic; Krug Has Long Range Navajos' Program

Says DREW PEARSON

Diplomatic Notes For Drew Pearson: A plot by the Dominican Republic to send an armed invasion against Venezuela is charged in a "White Paper" circulated among Latin-American Ambassadors here by the Venezuelan Embassy. Written in Spanish, the paper accuses dictator Trujillo of harboring Venezuelan enemies and purchasing arms for them in Brazil. As proof, a photostat is attached of an intercepted letter from Trujillo's private secretary to the Dominican foreign offices around the world.

Translated, the letter declares: "The Honorable President Trujillo has charged me to communicate to you that it is his wish that you attend to the exiled Venezuelans, enemies of the Caracas, who are residing in or who pass through your jurisdiction. Inform them that they will find in the Dominican Republica a good refuge, hospitality and protection, personal as well as political. Do all that is possible to convince them that they should come to reside in our country."

Bluntly, the White Paper adds: "The Venezuelan government has concrete proof that the Dominican Republic has had under its auspices for some time an armed movement against Venezuela, composed of exiled citizens from the Venezuelan revolution. The airports serve as training camps for these Venezuelan refugees who conspire the conquest of the republic from outside. Enemy agents against our Government fulfill missions in America by means of diplomatic passports of the Dominican Government. In some countries, official and foreign persons of the Dominican Government have bought and continue to purchase arms for an armed movement against our country."

Already Trujillo has purchased vast stores of arms in Brazil, using the Presidential yacht to ship them, the paper charges. One shipment assertedly included 10,000 rifles with 30,000,000 rounds of ammunition and 800 machine guns. The paper points out that this is more than is needed for Dominican defense, and warns gravely that the situation "should constitute a serious preoccupation for all the American Governments."

"Venezuela within her sovereign rights could break relations with the Dominican Government," the paper goes on, "but it would be against the sympathetic feeling, the understanding and the friendship of her people towards the suffering Dominicans. . . . But our Government . . . will not lift a finger to disturb the peace of the Dominican Republic, nor do it in the future unless we are obliged to defend our own rights, our sovereignty and our institutions."

Czechoslovakia Follows Russia

Word has reached me by secret code that satellite Czechoslovakia will follow in the economic footsteps of Russia and will be forced to devaluate her currency. Already the unofficial exchange rate has shot up to 306 crowns to one dollar, six times the official 50-to-1 rate.

"Marshall Plan" For Navajos

Notes From The Cabinet Correspondent—Along with aid to Europe a "Marshall Plan" for the proud but poverty-stricken Navajo Indians will be demanded by the Interior Department, authorizing $80,000,000 worth of rehabilitation in our own back yard. A blueprint will be laid at Congress' feet for a 10-year recovery program.

Interior has pleaded the Navajos' case upon Capitol Hill often, but this time Secretary "Cap" Krug feels that public indignation will force Congress' hand. Conditions on the parched, eroding Navajo Reservation have deteriorated to such a state that President Truman the other day issued a stirring appeal for emergency relief. The House Public Lands Committee promptly introduced a bill for $2,000,000 aid. But as soon as the winter crisis has been met, Krug is ready with a complete long-range program.

Now in the final planning stages, the program will call for:

1. Range improvement and soil conservation, $9,000,000. The Navajos live on the semi-arid, sagebrush-dotted mesas in the corner of Arizona, New Mexico and Utah. The principal crop is grass, the major industry sheep raising. The land cannot support more than 35,000 people, but today 61,000 are trying to scratch a living from it. As a result the range is dying. One way to save it is to stop the water and wind from carrying away precious topsoil.

2. Education, $23,510,000. Seventy-nine percent of the Navajos, living in the heart of America, cannot speak English. Yet the Federal Government pledged in 1868 to educate their children. Today, nearly 80 years later, three-fourths of the 20,000 school-age Navajos are forced to play hookey. It is Krug's plan to build more schools, hire more teachers and send our school buses to round up the students.

3. Health, $3,935,000. White medicine men are doing the Navajos little more good than the chanting, magicmaking native medicine men of their past. Reason: Too few doctors, too little training. Many who are supposed to be tending the sick never got inside a medical school. The result is the Navajos are ravaged by disease—30 per cent have venereal disease, 25 per cent are suffering from tuberculosis or lung ailments, 6 per cent are blind or eyesore, 6 per cent are physically handicapped, 100 per cent are lousy. Most incredible is the infant mortality rate, 330 out of every 1,000 babies die—before they are two.

4. Roads, $20,000,000. Although it is larger than the state of West Virginia, the Reservation has less than 500 miles of rutted, dirt roads. Many families are virtually stranded by lack of transportation. To alleviate this, Krug hopes to build 600 miles of paved highway, 500 miles of serviceable, secondary roads.

5. Agriculture resettlement on the Colorado River, $6,750,000. To ease the population pressure, 1,000 families could be transplanted along the banks of the Colorado below Headgate Rock Dam, Arizona. Here water is more abundant, and soil is more fertile.

6. Small irrigation projects, $9,350,000. Of the Reservation's 16,000,000 acres, only 40,000 are producing sparse crops and but 16,000 are reached by irrigation ditches. The land must be watered if it is to yield produce.

The Interior Department's plan also proposes to promote small industries, build airstrips alongside hospitals, connect the main centers by radio and telephone, and drill wells for more water.

If the Navajos demonstrate that they can glean enough crops from irrigated land to maintain a reclamation project, Interior will recommend an additional $60,000,000 for irrigation development. The proposed site is Shiprock on the San Juan River which skirts the northern edge of the Reservation.

Note—Many Navajo braves, who fought for this country during the war, are crying for the right to vote. It isn't supposed to be known yet, but several of them plan to take their battle for Indian suffrage to the Arizona state courts this month.

Congress Must Decide Which Of Two Issues Get Priority

By MARK SULLIVAN

The major decision to be made at the very beginning is whether to give priority of urgency and importance to European aid under the Marshall plan, or to checking inflation.

About this some popular confusion may have arisen from what Congress did in its special session last fall. In that session, priority was given to European aid, and partial action about inflation followed. But the European aid given in the special session had a particular purpose, it was to prevent distress during the winter months, and therefore had a special urgency. But the European aid with which the present session of Congress will deal is different, it is the long-term aid over a period of years contemplated by the Marshall plan.

Whether the present session should give priority to European aid, or to checking inflation, is answered by simple figures. When the amount needed for Europe was calculated by the State Department, it arrived at $6,800,000,000 for the first 15 months. In arriving at this figure the Department used prices as of November first—prices of wheat, other foods, various raw materials and manufactured goods. But since November first these prices have risen, by some 3.2 per cent.

Rising Prices Effect On Fund

That is, if Congress had actually appropriated the amount the State Department calculated, it would today be not enough. What $6,800,000,000 would have bought at prices as of November first, would be only $6,582,400,000 worth at the prices of today. To put it another way, if $6,800,000,000 was enough when the State Department calculation was made, more than 7 billions would be necessary today. In the space of two months, rising prices have worked this change.

The rise in prices continues. Unless inflation is checked, it will continue to continue. Probably five months will elapse before Congress actually makes the appropriation for European aid. The debate over details will be long, technical and controversial; and Congressional leaders expect the European aid will not be enacted before June first. By that date, unless inflation is checked, the amount needed for European aid will have risen to a height nobody can foresee.

That answers the question about priority. The checking of inflation must come first, for until that is done, discussion about European aid must take place in a fog of uncertainty. If inflation should go on at an accelerated pace, which is the way of unchecked inflation in its later stages, the amount needed for European aid might go to extreme figures. If the inflation should be really extreme, the whole matter of European aid might be endangered.

For a reason even more fundamental, checking inflation must have priority over European aid. The purpose of giving aid to 16 European nations is to restore them to economic health, and thus offset Communism, in those countries and in the world. Preventing Communism from dominating the world is the basic purpose. Within that purpose, the primary need is that the United States, as the spearhead of resistance to Communism, should itself remain economically sound. Economic collapse of the United States would be victory, for Russia and Communism, it is their main hope. And for preventing economic collapse here, the checking of inflation is imperative and terribly urgent.

Methods May Delay Action

This is understood in Congress, there is no dispute over the urgency of checking inflation. What may delay it is difference of opinion about methods.

There are three main schools of thought. One, expressed by President Truman, puts emphasis on government controls, including prices. This is opposed on the ground that prices are an effect of inflation, rather than a primary cause, and that the real need is to deal with causes.

A second school of thought, seeing that a main cause of inflation is scarcity of goods, says the cure is greater production. This encounters an awkward fact, that production in this country is already at a peak, making use of practically every employable person.

A third school of thought holds that a main cause of inflation is what Chairman Eccles of the Federal Reserve Board calls "an excessively swollen money supply." The swollen money supply is mainly in the form of credit, created largely through lending by banks to borrowers. Hence Chairman Eccles proposes "legislation giving the Federal Reserve System . . . authority . . . to restrict further overall expansion of bank credit."

In that, Mr. Eccles has a clear understanding of the history of the mid-1920's. Excessive expansion of credit, not checked early enough by the Federal Reserve System of that time, was a main cause leading to extremely high stock market prices, followed by the collapse of 1929.

Vandenberg Places Marshall Plan Ahead Of Own Ambition

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Senator Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan, Republican, has just made a move which, on the surface, looks as if it is just a simple withdrawal from the presidential contest. Actually it is much more.

What Mr. Vandenberg has done, without saying so in so many words, is to notify certain segments of the Republican Party that he is not going to be affected by presidential politics and is going to endeavor to put the Marshall Plan through Congress.

If the chairman of the foreign relations committee had continued as a kind of passive candidate, he would have been subjected to all sort of pressure by those who would want him to avoid alienating the groups in the Republican Party who do not like the Marshall Plan.

Actually the Marshall Plan isn't popular among Republicans. The opposition is growing constantly. Any man who champions it might as well dismiss from his mind the idea that the leaders of the party will back him for higher office. The regular organization men will follow the pattern of those members of the House who say that the Marshall Plan is all right in its way as a relief measure but that it should be materially curtailed.

Senator Vandenberg wants some changes and modifications made in the Marshall Plan. He will doubtless join in the demand that a separate agency be created and he will have other suggestions to make. But these are secondary at the moment. The truth is that the Marshall Plan could be sidetracked and emasculated and doubtless would be were it not for the leadership of such as Senator Vandenberg.

His Timing Significant

It is significant that at this time the Michigan Senator sent his letter to Michigan Republicans asking them not to pledge the delegation for him at the next national convention. He could have waited till later on in the year. The letter was dispatched, however, before the Marshall Plan debate begins and serves as a warning to Republican organizations that the Michigan Senator plans to make a fight for the plan no matter what the other Republicans think about it. One infers that in the state of Michigan are many Republicans opposed to the Marshall Plan and that perhaps recently it was made known to the Senator that he could not expect their support at the next national convention if he persisted in his support of the Marshall Plan.

Senator Taft, who is lukewarm about the Marshall Plan, maintains the most cordial relations with Senator Vandenberg. So far as can be detected, there is no cleavage between these two leaders. This may be largely because the Michigan senator is quite skillful at avoiding cleavages or at least preventing them from developing before issues are clearly understood. At the moment Mr. Vandenberg has not expressed himself very much on the Marshall Plan beyond the fact that he favors its principles. He has arranged for committee hearings at which all sides will be heard.

It is to be noted, however, that Senator Vandenberg arranged for the elimination of the seventeen-billion-dollar figure from the proposed bill authorizing the Marshall Plan. This was a sensible piece of strategy. What is significant is that Mr. Vandenberg worked it out with the Department of State and the President ahead of time.

Cannot Bind Successor Congress

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The radio has done much for opera, although last year it brought only $166,000 in cash. Thousands listen to the opera on Saturday afternoons on the radio and enjoy the opera quiz and Professor Goldowsky's extraordinary capacity for making the obscure clear even to the uninitiated. There are enough who prefer opera to football, who had rather listen to Jan Peerce and Ezio Pinza than to the shriek and shout of some radio announcer. Those who listen on the radio develop a yearning for reality and when they get a chance they go to the Metropolitan or take it in on tour. In fact, the tours have helped to earn the little profit, bringing in $770,000 last year.

Opera is a musical adventure that does not appeal to everybody. My friend, Westbrook Pegler, abominates it. On the other hand, no finer melodrama has been written than "La Giaconda" and no tear-jerker superior to "Madame Butterfly," which, having first been written in English, should not be sung in Italian. No American naval officer would speak Italian to a Japanese young lady—particularly about their love life.

Be that as it may, the startling fact about the Metropolitan is its Americanization. An increasingly large number of its staff is native. Edward Johnson, who manages the enterprise, had to call himself by an Italian name when he first tried to make the grade. That is no longer necessary. Auditions are held for American young men and women and an astonishing number make the grade. I fact, some of them are now Metropolitan stars. They are young and not a one of them is a Caruso or a Patti or a Schumann-Heink, but they are worthy of the high traditions of the Metropolitan and it does one's heart good to know that we produce something superior to Frank Sinatra in this country.

And that, in a measure, must explain the popularity of the Metropolitan and of Tanglewood and of so much good music on the radio and the constant increase in the sale of important recordings. The younger generations of this country have become more music-conscious and are no longer satisfied with the artificialities of crooning and the roar of jazz and the meaningless riot of swing. They seek real music.

I personally, as an utter and complete amateur, do not go much by what the critics say. I go to listen. I am always thankful that opera and the symphony are available to give me the richness of available to give metheETAOINNgk sound and color and that sense of being wafted into eternity.

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Baering Down On The News

By ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER

Stassen was the first Republican to start out after Wallace. The trouble with chasing Hank is you can never tell which way he went.

If Hank's abundance means an abundance of Hank we are in for some erratic improvements. Hank saves wear and tear on the wagon by shooting the hoss.

A vote is a form of protest guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. But the same fisherman who was tired of hearing Aristides called the just may be also fatigued with hearing Hankus called the just about.

Anyway, after what has happened to us in New York it is a relief to discover Hank is no blizzard.

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Pres. Truman And Taxes; What Those Vetoes Cost You

Speaker Martin's forthright stand in favor of House enactment of a tax-reduction bill at the earliest possible moment removes all doubt that passage by this branch of Congress, probably by February 1, will follow.

If President Truman again vetoes a tax-reduction bill, support of one-third of Democrats in House and Senate will be required to pass it over his veto. Some Democrats in Congress are now beginning to talk of lower taxes. It was lack of Democratic votes that defeated Republican attempts twice last year to pass tax-reduction bills over Truman's veto.

While Democratic members were reported to be writing a bill to reduce income taxes by $3,500,000,000, in contrast to a Republican proposal of $5,500,000,000 reduction, President Truman, in an effort to take the spotlight away from Republicans in a presidential year, comes up with a proposal that Congress vote every individual taxpayer an immediate $40 tax cut for himself and each dependent. He would raise corporation taxes by $3,200,000,000 to offset it. But Mr. Truman will not be consistent if he approves any bill to reduce present confiscatory tax rates.

The same fallacious arguments which Truman used to veto other tax reduction measures still apply. He said tax reduction is inflationary. The fact is, of course, that high taxes and government spending, especially for scarce commodities, are inflationary. He said there cannot be both tax reduction and debt reduction, another fallacy. Both are possible if government extravagance is reduced.

President Truman is alleged to be planning a budget $3,000,000,000 higher than the current one, or in excess of $40,000,000,000. Tax reduction properly accompanies reduction in government expenditures, and if the administration can prevent it, there will be no such reduction.

If Truman signs a tax reduction bill, there is little doubt that the campaign year will be the decisive factor. For by the President's own words tax reduction is inadvisable now or probably at any time during the term of the Marshall Plan, if, and it is expected Congress will, approve the modified form suggested by Republicans and agreed to by Mr. Truman.

But, with 1947 behind you, it is pertinent to round up what Mr. Truman's two vetoes of the bills passed by the last Congress to cut income taxes cost to you. Those bills proposed to cut taxes from 30 per cent to 10.5 per cent, depending on income.

Let us assume that you are in what are called the lower income brackets and that your withholding tax is $6.80 a week. To date, those vetoes have cost you $40.00—not a great deal, of course, but enough to fit yourself out with a suit of clothes and a pair of shoes, possibly to pay all or most of a month's rent.

Now, let us assume that your income is in what are called the middle brackets, and that your withholding tax is $19.40 a week. To date those vetoes have cost you $139.20. With that sum you could have made a number of useful and necessary purchases, had something of a vacation if you chose—or banked it.

In the upper brackets? Though the bill would cut taxes 10.5 per cent, as against 30 per cent in the lower brackets, the President said that would be too much of a lift anyway. Indeed, one of the reasons he advanced for refusing to help anybody is that it would help the upper bracket taxpayer too much.

And so, Mr. Truman held on to the big surplus in national income and deprived some 40,000,000 American taxpayers of the relief that Congress had voted them. Was it because he did not want a Republican Congress—plus, incidentally, most of the Democrats in the House—to get the credit? If so, that would be Kansas City gang-thinking with a vengeance. No matter, a record has been made which directly concerns the voter.

Petrillo's Line Of Argument Is Ridiculous

Record makers built up a gigantic backlog in anticipation of Petrillo's ban on manufacture of the discs, now in effect. Petrillo says that never, never will production be resumed. He repeats it again and again and again.

This character says that, to insure "his" musicians jobs, they must be hired for each performance. How ridiculous.

When dictating letters, Petrillo should not ask for two or more copies. He should hire a typist to produce each copy. If mechanical duplication causes unemployment among musicians, does it not have the same effect on stenographers?

Suppose the printer demanded that only one copy be struck from the type he has set, the machine setter in the factory insisted that only one turning could be performed on the lathe, music publishers made a rule that only one playing could be made from the printed score, which must then be torn up and consigned to the wastebasket.

Such suppositions could be carried out to infinitude. Petrillo's idea, carried to its ridiculous extremes, would catapult the world back into the Dark Ages. It is reasonable to predict his final defeat on a proposition that is as silly as anything heard since ignoramuses more than a century ago solemnly averred that riding on one of the new-fangled railroad trains would kill the passengers, that the human system wasn't designed to withstand speeds of 25 miles an hour.

But obviously, something must be done to curb the power of the Petrillos to interfere with the rights of other human beings. It is obvious that the Taft-Hartley Act as passed over Truman's veto doesn't go far enough, instead of going too far, as the vote-conscious President averred.

Heat's On

Six scientists, experimenting on themselves, have successfully withstood 15 minutes in a room heated to 250 degrees Fahrenheit.

With an investigation of alleged grain speculation by high government officials on the horizon, it may be that news of this experiment will be cheering to several members of both parties.

"'48 will be more or less a duplicate of '47, Babson declares." Come, come, Roger—which is it to be?

HOW TO KEEP WELL

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made, under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is enclosed. Dr. Van Dellen will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases.

The Home Medicine Chest

THE MEDICINE chest is an institution in itself and most physicians can tell the character of their patients by looking over its contents. "Ailing" and "nervous" individuals are inclined to store enough medicine, both patent and otherwise, to start a drug store.

The practice of making every home a hospital is inadvisable and the medicine cabinet should accommodate only emergency items. It is important that drugs be kept out of reach of children and, if possible, locked up. The space above the sink is a popular storage site but is potentially dangerous inasmuch as medicines and toilet articles stand side by side. It is better to select a shelf in the linen closet or have a special carton to hold all bottles, jars, and boxes of medicines. Everything ought to be dated and those that are not should be thrown away because some products lose their strength on standing; others become more powerful. If a prescription, ordered for a specific disease, has not been finished, it should be discarded. Many persons hang on to old bottles as though they were family treasures. Every article should be labeled and the word POISON written in large letters. By strapping down the cork or top with adhesive tape, mistakes are less likely to occur.

There is little sense in including carbolic acid, bichloride of mercury, and iodine as much better and safer remedies are on the market. Most families like to have a laxative. Castor oil and Epsom or Rochelle salts produce rapid elimination; cascara sagrada and mineral oil are milder. Without going into the subject of constipation, it might be stated that a physician should be consulted when it seems necessary to use drugs of this type regularly.

Aromatic spirits of ammonia is worthy of a place in the medicine cabinet as a stimulant but coffee or whisky will sometimes do as well. Baking soda or essence of peppermint help that occasional attack of indigestion. A bland ointment such as zinc oxide, petroleum jelly, olive oil, or calamine may prove helpful in skin irritations. Aspirin affords temporary relief for headaches, colds, and arthritis. Whether a sedative should be added to the list is an individual problem which the physician should decide. A clinical thermometer should be included.

A first aid kit will supply the essential aids for cuts and bruises. It should contain cotton, bandages, and adhesive. Washing such lesions with soap and water helps to wash away germs hence the use of iodine is discouraged. If an antiseptic is required, one of the newer detergents such as zephiran solution is advised. Rubbing alcohol also has disinfectant qualities and deserves a place in the cabinet.

FACIAL PARALYSIS

F. B. writes: My wife went riding one afternoon and the next day the right side of her face was paralyzed. Her tongue is numb and when she laughs or talks it is out of the side of her mouth. The doctor claims it is a cold in the nerve. What can be done for her?

REPLY

Your wife is probably afflicted with Bell's palsy which usually heals in time altho injections of vitamin B may hasten recovery. Occasionally some telltale evidence of the disorder remains.

SKIN CANCER

M. H. writes: I would appreciate some information on a rodent ulcer.

REPLY

This is an erosion which results from a tiny skin cancer. It grows slowly and is not highly malignant. These lesions respond well to treatment unless shamefully neglected.

STRAYING JOINT

J. D. writes: What causes an arm to jump out of its socket at times? This is painful.

REPLY

Recurrent dislocation is responsible and is due primarily to overstretching or tearing of the capsule surrounding the joint. When this stage is reached, surgery is the only cure.

HEAD AND EYE PAIN

L. A. writes: Can histamine headache cause pain in one eye?

REPLY

Yes, in conjunction with distress on that side of the head.

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It Says Here

By BOB HOPE

Shoplifting is one thing, but this is ridiculous.

A burglar in Gooding, Iowa, really got carried away in his work. He actually stole a 20-ton bridge. He must have started as a little boy on erector sets and worked his way up.

If he had been around in 1803 he wouldn't have had to purchase Louisiana.

But this is no petty larceny. One of these days our headlines will read: "Crime Wave Hits Chicago . . . One of Our Cities Is Missing."

If this goes on, I can see a crook handing his wife a map and saying, "What do you want for your birthday, dear?"

And pickpockets will be a real menace. They used to go to Santa Anita and take the customers. Now they'll go to Santa Anita and take Santa Anita.

And when a guy starts out in the racket they'll give him an audition before they'll let him into the gang. The chief will turn to him and say, "See what you can do with Cucamonga."

But what does a guy do with a hot city? He takes it to a fence. Of course, he'll have a tough time trying to find a fence big enough to hold Texas.

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THERE'S SOMEONE KNOCKING AT THE DOOR

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Venezuelan "White Paper" Makes Grave Charges Against Rafael Trujillo And Dominican Republic; Krug Has Long Range Navajos' Program

Says DREW PEARSON

Diplomatic Notes For Drew Pearson: A plot by the Dominican Republic to send an armed invasion against Venezuela is charged in a "White Paper" circulated among Latin-American Ambassadors here by the Venezuelan Embassy. Written in Spanish, the paper accuses dictator Trujillo of harboring Venezuelan enemies and purchasing arms for them in Brazil. As proof, a photostat is attached of an intercepted letter from Trujillo's private secretary to the Dominican foreign offices around the world.

Translated, the letter declares: "The Honorable President Trujillo has charged me to communicate to you that it is his wish that you attend to the exiled Venezuelans, enemies of the Caracas, who are residing in or who pass through your jurisdiction. Inform them that they will find in the Dominican Republica a good refuge, hospitality and protection, personal as well as political. Do all that is possible to convince them that they should come to reside in our country."

Bluntly, the White Paper adds: "The Venezuelan government has concrete proof that the Dominican Republic has had under its auspices for some time an armed movement against Venezuela, composed of exiled citizens from the Venezuelan revolution. The airports serve as training camps for these Venezuelan refugees who conspire the conquest of the republic from outside. Enemy agents against our Government fulfill missions in America by means of diplomatic passports of the Dominican Government. In some countries, official and foreign persons of the Dominican Government have bought and continue to purchase arms for an armed movement against our country."

Already Trujillo has purchased vast stores of arms in Brazil, using the Presidential yacht to ship them, the paper charges. One shipment assertedly included 10,000 rifles with 30,000,000 rounds of ammunition and 800 machine guns. The paper points out that this is more than is needed for Dominican defense, and warns gravely that the situation "should constitute a serious preoccupation for all the American Governments."

"Venezuela within her sovereign rights could break relations with the Dominican Government," the paper goes on, "but it would be against the sympathetic feeling, the understanding and the friendship of her people towards the suffering Dominicans. . . . But our Government . . . will not lift a finger to disturb the peace of the Dominican Republic, nor do it in the future unless we are obliged to defend our own rights, our sovereignty and our institutions."

Czechoslovakia Follows Russia

Word has reached me by secret code that satellite Czechoslovakia will follow in the economic footsteps of Russia and will be forced to devaluate her currency. Already the unofficial exchange rate has shot up to 306 crowns to one dollar, six times the official 50-to-1 rate.

"Marshall Plan" For Navajos

Notes From The Cabinet Correspondent—Along with aid to Europe a "Marshall Plan" for the proud but poverty-stricken Navajo Indians will be demanded by the Interior Department, authorizing $80,000,000 worth of rehabilitation in our own back yard. A blueprint will be laid at Congress' feet for a 10-year recovery program.

Interior has pleaded the Navajos' case upon Capitol Hill often, but this time Secretary "Cap" Krug feels that public indignation will force Congress' hand. Conditions on the parched, eroding Navajo Reservation have deteriorated to such a state that President Truman the other day issued a stirring appeal for emergency relief. The House Public Lands Committee promptly introduced a bill for $2,000,000 aid. But as soon as the winter crisis has been met, Krug is ready with a complete long-range program.

Now in the final planning stages, the program will call for:

1. Range improvement and soil conservation, $9,000,000. The Navajos live on the semi-arid, sagebrush-dotted mesas in the corner of Arizona, New Mexico and Utah. The principal crop is grass, the major industry sheep raising. The land cannot support more than 35,000 people, but today 61,000 are trying to scratch a living from it. As a result the range is dying. One way to save it is to stop the water and wind from carrying away precious topsoil.

2. Education, $23,510,000. Seventy-nine percent of the Navajos, living in the heart of America, cannot speak English. Yet the Federal Government pledged in 1868 to educate their children. Today, nearly 80 years later, three-fourths of the 20,000 school-age Navajos are forced to play hookey. It is Krug's plan to build more schools, hire more teachers and send our school buses to round up the students.

3. Health, $3,935,000. White medicine men are doing the Navajos little more good than the chanting, magicmaking native medicine men of their past. Reason: Too few doctors, too little training. Many who are supposed to be tending the sick never got inside a medical school. The result is the Navajos are ravaged by disease—30 per cent have venereal disease, 25 per cent are suffering from tuberculosis or lung ailments, 6 per cent are blind or eyesore, 6 per cent are physically handicapped, 100 per cent are lousy. Most incredible is the infant mortality rate, 330 out of every 1,000 babies die—before they are two.

4. Roads, $20,000,000. Although it is larger than the state of West Virginia, the Reservation has less than 500 miles of rutted, dirt roads. Many families are virtually stranded by lack of transportation. To alleviate this, Krug hopes to build 600 miles of paved highway, 500 miles of serviceable, secondary roads.

5. Agriculture resettlement on the Colorado River, $6,750,000. To ease the population pressure, 1,000 families could be transplanted along the banks of the Colorado below Headgate Rock Dam, Arizona. Here water is more abundant, and soil is more fertile.

6. Small irrigation projects, $9,350,000. Of the Reservation's 16,000,000 acres, only 40,000 are producing sparse crops and but 16,000 are reached by irrigation ditches. The land must be watered if it is to yield produce.

The Interior Department's plan also proposes to promote small industries, build airstrips alongside hospitals, connect the main centers by radio and telephone, and drill wells for more water.

If the Navajos demonstrate that they can glean enough crops from irrigated land to maintain a reclamation project, Interior will recommend an additional $60,000,000 for irrigation development. The proposed site is Shiprock on the San Juan River which skirts the northern edge of the Reservation.

Note—Many Navajo braves, who fought for this country during the war, are crying for the right to vote. It isn't supposed to be known yet, but several of them plan to take their battle for Indian suffrage to the Arizona state courts this month.

Congress Must Decide Which Of Two Issues Get Priority

By MARK SULLIVAN

The major decision to be made at the very beginning is whether to give priority of urgency and importance to European aid under the Marshall plan, or to checking inflation.

About this some popular confusion may have arisen from what Congress did in its special session last fall. In that session, priority was given to European aid, and partial action about inflation followed. But the European aid given in the special session had a particular purpose, it was to prevent distress during the winter months, and therefore had a special urgency. But the European aid with which the present session of Congress will deal is different, it is the long-term aid over a period of years contemplated by the Marshall plan.

Whether the present session should give priority to European aid, or to checking inflation, is answered by simple figures. When the amount needed for Europe was calculated by the State Department, it arrived at $6,800,000,000 for the first 15 months. In arriving at this figure the Department used prices as of November first—prices of wheat, other foods, various raw materials and manufactured goods. But since November first these prices have risen, by some 3.2 per cent.

Rising Prices Effect On Fund

That is, if Congress had actually appropriated the amount the State Department calculated, it would today be not enough. What $6,800,000,000 would have bought at prices as of November first, would be only $6,532,400,000 worth at the prices of today. To put it another way, if $6,800,000,000 was enough when the State Department calculation was made, more than 7 billions would be necessary today. In the space of two months, rising prices have worked this change.

The rise in prices continues. Unless inflation is checked, it will continue to continue. Probably five months will elapse before Congress actually makes the appropriation for European aid. The debate over details will be long, technical and controversial; and Congressional leaders expect the European aid will not be enacted before June first. By that date, unless inflation is checked, the amount needed for European aid will have risen to a height nobody can foresee.

That answers the question about priority. The checking of inflation must come first, for until that is done, discussion about European aid must take place in a fog of uncertainty. If inflation should go on at an accelerated pace, which is the way of unchecked inflation in its later stages, the amount needed for European aid might go to extreme figures. If the inflation should be really extreme, the whole matter of European aid might be endangered.

For a reason even more fundamental, checking inflation must have priority over European aid. The purpose of giving aid to 16 European nations is to restore them to economic health, and thus offset Communism, in those countries and in the world. Preventing Communism from dominating the world is the basic purpose. Within that purpose, the primary need is that the United States, as the spearhead of resistance to Communism, should itself remain economically sound. Economic collapse of the United States would be victory, for Russia and Communism, it is their main hope. And for preventing economic collapse here, the checking of inflation is imperative and terribly urgent.

Methods May Delay Action

This is understood in Congress, there is no dispute over the urgency of checking inflation. What may delay it is difference of opinion about methods.

There are three main schools of thought. One, expressed by President Truman, puts emphasis on government controls, including prices. This is opposed on the ground that prices are an effect of inflation, rather than a primary cause, and that the real need is to deal with causes.

A second school of thought, seeing that a main cause of inflation is scarcity of goods, says the cure is greater production. This encounters an awkward fact, that production in this country is already at a peak, making use of practically every employable person.

A third school of thought holds that a main cause of inflation is what Chairman Eccles of the Federal Reserve Board calls "an excessively swollen money supply." The swollen money supply is mainly in the form of credit, created largely through lending by banks to borrowers. Hence Chairman Eccles proposes "legislation giving the Federal Reserve System . . . authority . . . to restrict further overall expansion of bank credit."

In that, Mr. Eccles has a clear understanding of the history of the mid-1920's. Excessive expansion of credit, not checked early enough by the Federal Reserve System of that time, was a main cause leading to extremely high stock market prices, followed by the collapse of 1929.

Vandenberg Places Marshall Plan Ahead Of Own Ambition

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Senator Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan, Republican, has just made a move which, on the surface, looks as if it is just a simple withdrawal from the presidential contest. Actually it is much more.

What Mr. Vandenberg has done, without saying so in so many words, is to notify certain segments of the Republican Party that he is not going to be affected by presidential politics and is going to endeavor to put the Marshall Plan through Congress.

If the chairman of the foreign relations committee had continued as a kind of passive candidate, he would have been subjected to all sort of pressure by those who would want him to avoid alienating the groups in the Republican Party who do not like the Marshall Plan.

Actually the Marshall Plan isn't popular among Republicans. The opposition is growing constantly. Any man who champions it might as well dismiss from his mind the idea that the leaders of the party will back him for higher office. The regular organization men will follow the pattern of those members of the House who say that the Marshall Plan is all right in its way as a relief measure but that it should be materially curtailed.

Senator Vandenberg wants some changes and modifications made in the Marshall Plan. He will doubtless join in the demand that a separate agency be created and he will have other suggestions to make. But these are secondary at the moment. The truth is that the Marshall Plan could be sidetracked and emasculated and doubtless would be were it not for the leadership of such as Senator Vandenberg.

His Timing Significant

It is significant that at this time the Michigan Senator sent his letter to Michigan Republicans asking them not to pledge the delegation for him at the next national convention. He could have waited till later on in the year. The letter was dispatched, however, before the Marshall Plan debate begins and serves as a warning to Republican organizations that the Michigan Senator plans to make a fight for the plan no matter what the other Republicans think about it. One infers that in the state of Michigan are many Republicans opposed to the Marshall Plan and that perhaps recently it was made known to the Senator that he could not expect their support at the next national convention if he persisted in his support of the Marshall Plan.

Senator Taft, who is lukewarm about the Marshall Plan, maintains the most cordial relations with Senator Vandenberg. So far as can be detected, there is no cleavage between these two leaders. This may be largely because the Michigan senator is quite skillful at avoiding cleavages or at least preventing them from developing before issues are clearly understood. At the moment Mr. Vandenberg has not expressed himself very much on the Marshall Plan beyond the fact that he favors its principles. He has arranged for committee hearings at which all sides will be heard.

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Baering Down On The News

By ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER

Stassen was the first Republican to start out after Wallace. The trouble with chasing Hank is you can never tell which way he went.

If Hank's abundance means an abundance of Hank we are in for some erratic improvements. Hank saves wear and tear on the wagon by shooting the hoss.

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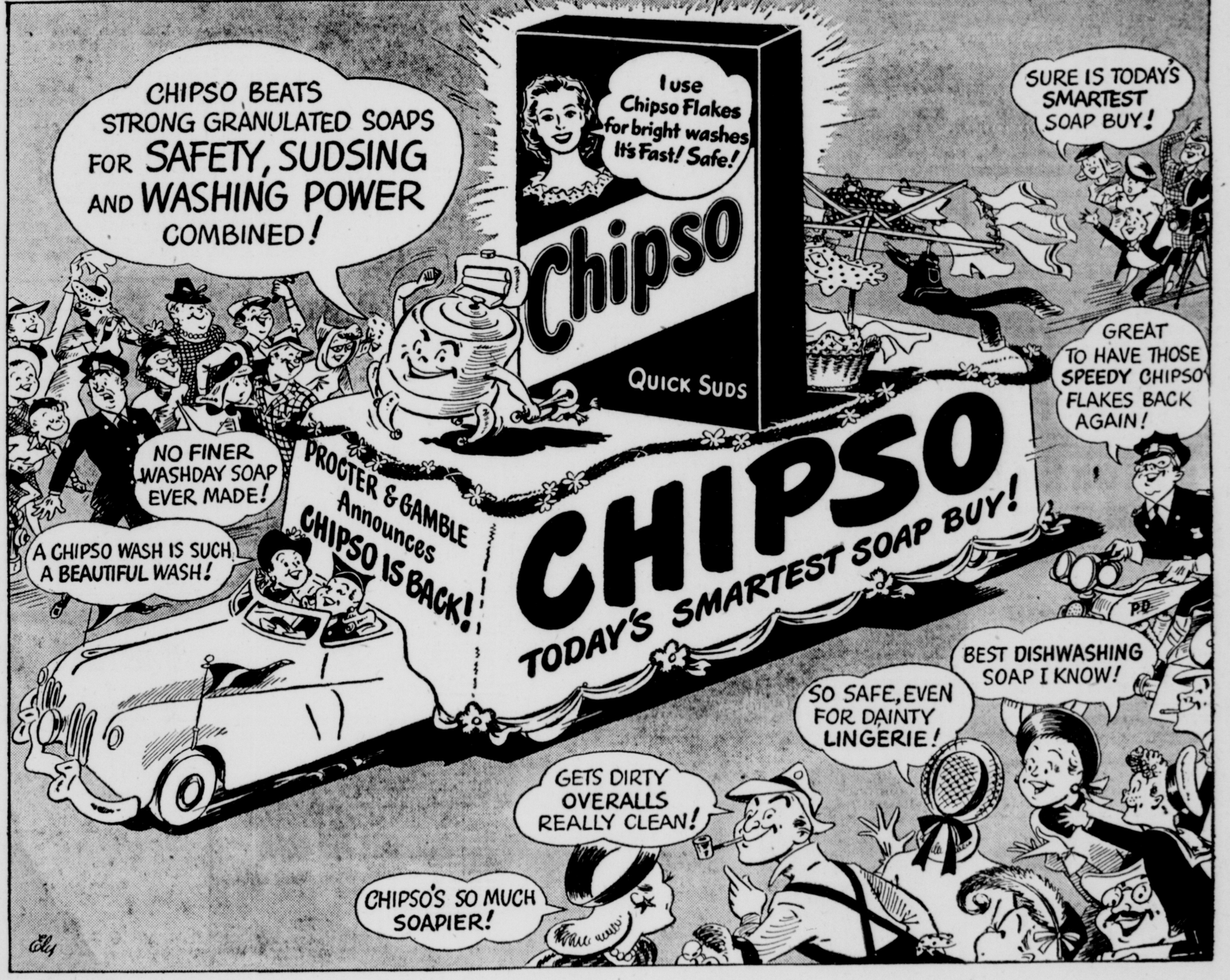

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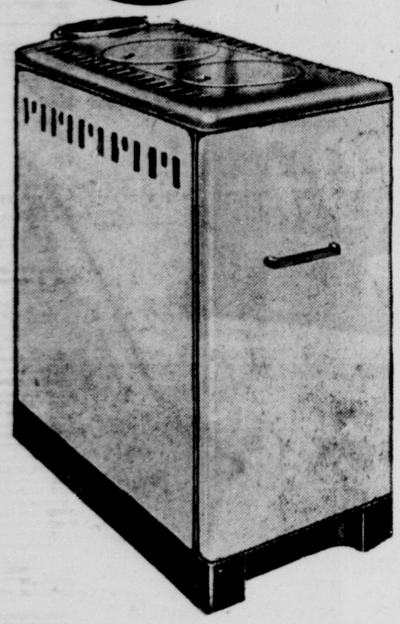

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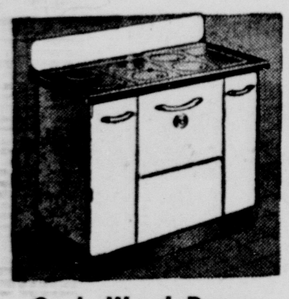

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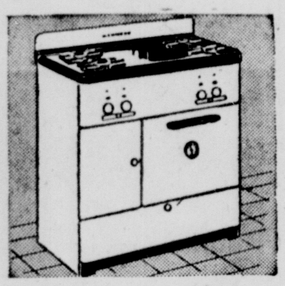

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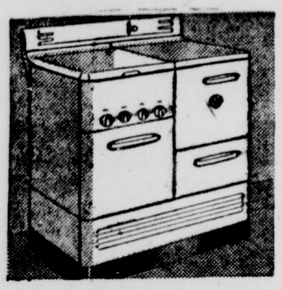

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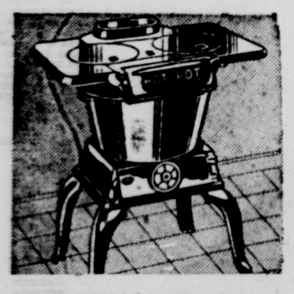

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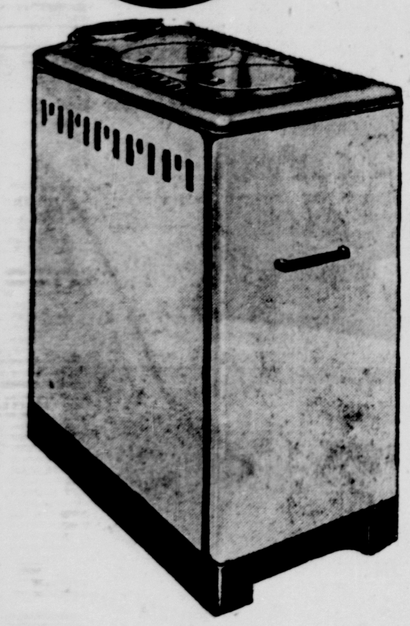

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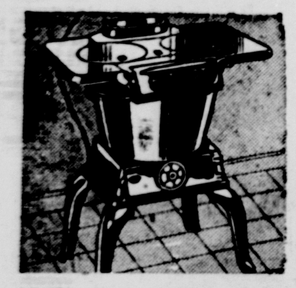

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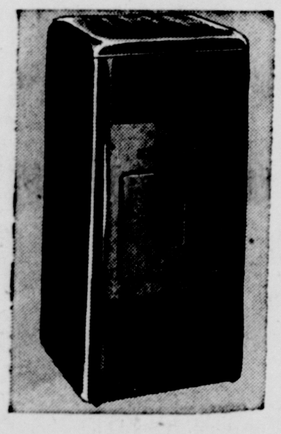

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Mrs. Jack Yankelevitz, president, will preside. The opening prayer will be given by Mrs. Edward Pallik.

The first event to be discussed will be the dinner meeting to be held February 3 in the vestry room by B'nai B'rith. Baron Hans de Meiss-Teuffen of Switzerland, a member of the Christian Committee for Palestine, will be the guest speaker. Members of Hadassah will prepare and serve the dinner.

Definite plans will be made at Monday's meeting for a minstrel show to be sponsored by B'nai B'rith and Cumberland Chapter of Hadassah in the latter part of February.

The program for the February meeting will be outlined. Mrs. Ben Ockner, New Kensington, Pa., regional president of Hadassah chapters in this area, will be the guest speaker at that time.

A feature of the Monday meeting will be a radio skit, "A Jewish State Is Born," to be presented by Grade Four of the B'er Chayim Temple Sunday School under the direction of the instructor, Leon Klompus.

Children taking part will be Gelda Kaplon, Keyser, W. Va.; and Bernard Beerman, Joel Jocobson, Howard Feldstein and Raymond Spear, all of Cumberland.

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Officers were installed recently at a meeting of the Philathea Bible Class of Grace Baptist Church at the home of Mrs. Raleigh Wilt, 605 Columbia Avenue. Rev. W. Randolph Keefe, Jr., pastor, officiated.

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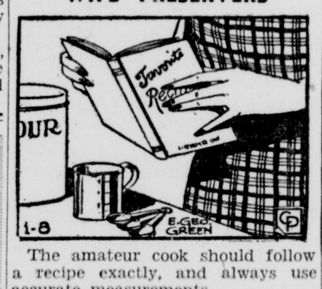

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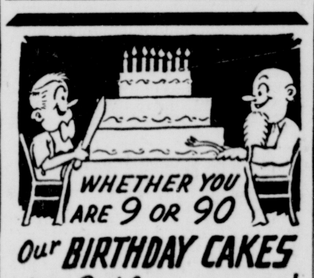

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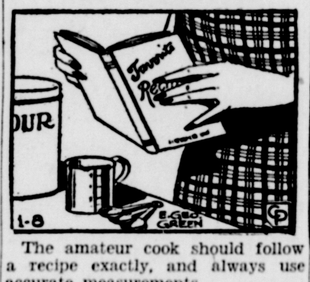

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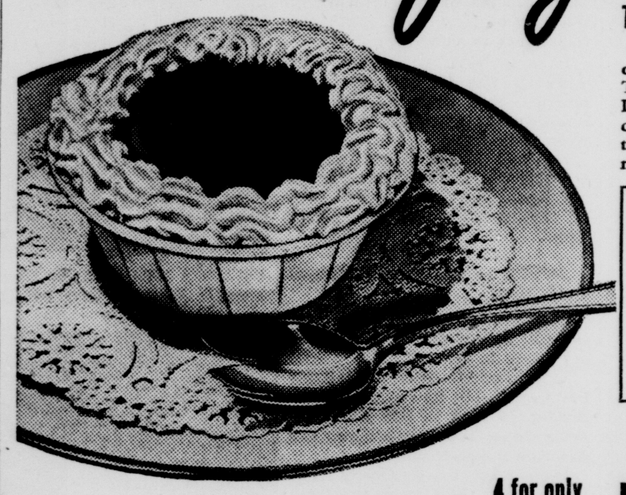

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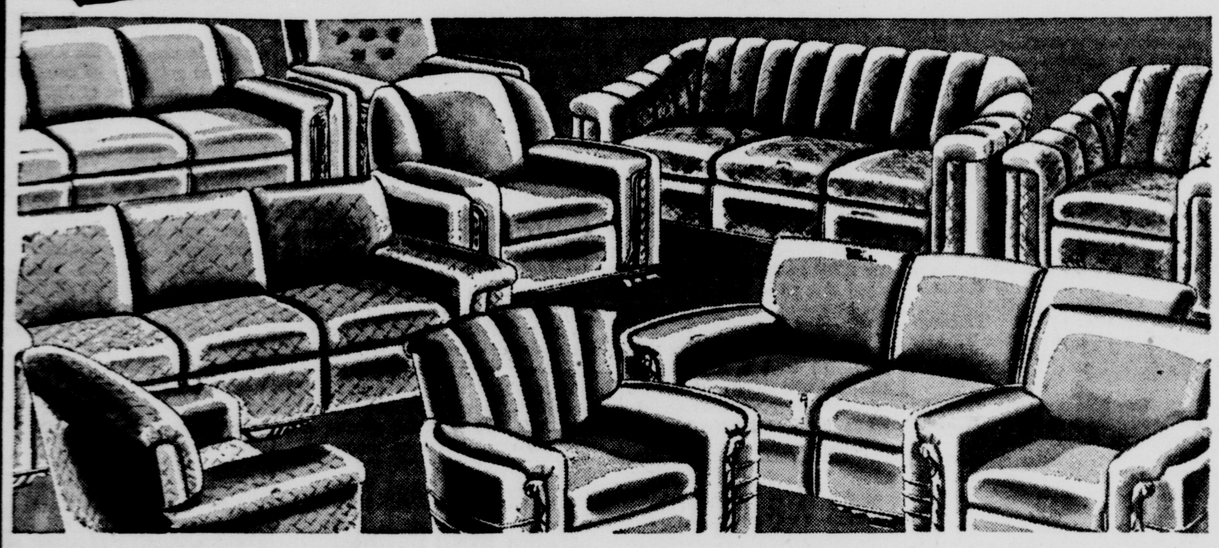

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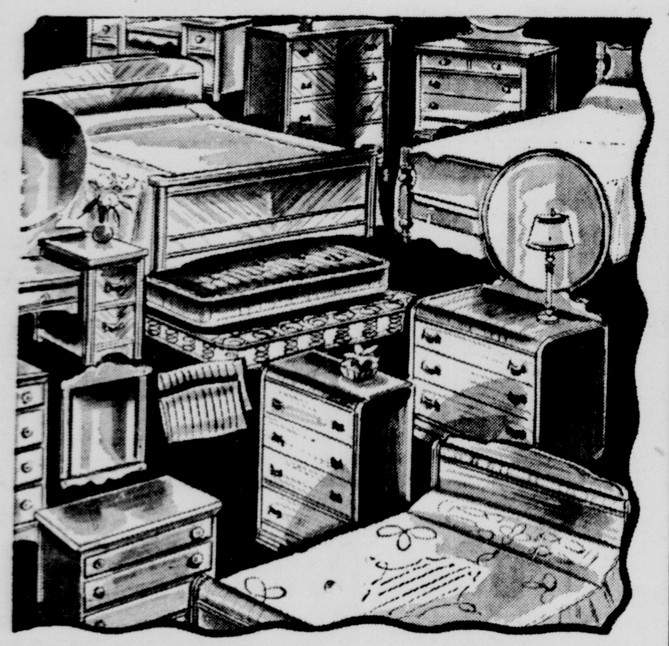

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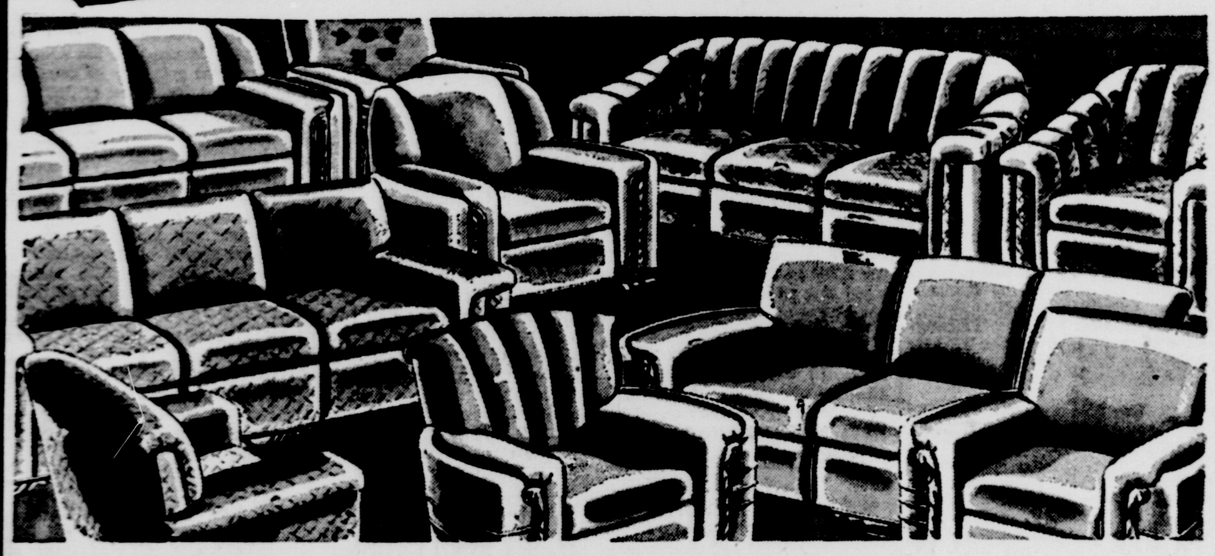

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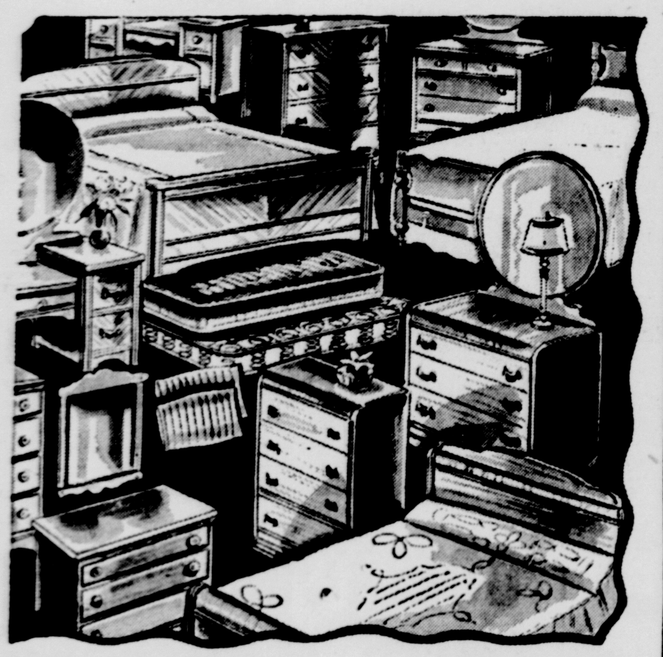

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Hospital Fund Drive Planned In Moorefield

Structure Estimated To Cost $225,000

By KATHERINE FISHER

MOOREFIELD, W. Va.—Dr. G. E. Hartle spoke to the Moorefield Lions Club at the meeting at the Airport Inn Monday night and told of the developments of the proposed Valley View Hospital near Moorefield. Plans and blueprints for the structure and grounds have been completed and the proposed hospital to serve this section will cost $225,000. A drive to raise funds will be started immediately.

The new hospital can qualify for federal and state aid, according to Dr. N. H. Dyer, commissioner of the State Health Department of West Virginia. The government will pay one-third of the cost of the building, grounds and equipment for the hospital. Moorefield has an AA priority, the highest rating possible, due to the scarcity of hospital beds and service in this section.

Dr. Hartle stated that application for federal and state funds must be made by the first of March. The drive for funds will start within the next two weeks and local solicitors will call on individuals and business firms in this section.

Hartle stated that the physicions in this community would make up the medical staff and that surgeons and specialists from Cumberland, Md., Keyser or other cities would possibly serve. Qualified nurses from this section would be eligible to serve on the staff.

The first section of the hospital to be built will have 30 beds, with an additional wing to be built later, increasing the capacity to 50 beds. Hartle said that normally the staff in a hospital equalled the number of beds.

The board of directors of the new hospital met at Dr. Hartle's office Monday to complete all current business. Guests present at the meeting were C. B. Hiett and Judge H. M. Calhoun, representing the Lions Club at Moorefield, and Mrs. Joseph T. Frye, Wardensville, representing the Capon Valley women's organizations. C. M. Paden and C. J. Coon, Parkersburg; R. E. Logan, Cumberland, and L. V. Finister of Takoma Park, Md. were the directors present at the meeting. The next board of directors meeting will be in March.

Miss Oates Is Wed

Miss Viola Oates, daughter of John Oates and the late Mrs. Pearl Oates, became the bride of Samuel D. Miller, son of Mrs. Rose Miller and the late Adam Miller, Wardensville, in Strasburg, Va., December 30.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a royal blue velvet street length dress with a sweetheart neckline outlined in black sequins and black accessories. Her only ornament was a single strand of pearls.

The bridegroom has served in the Navy for 30 months. He is now serving on the carrier Coral Sea at Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Miller will remain at her home until her husband returns from the Navy.

Mathias Couple Wed

Isaac S. Halterman and Miss Lula Wilkins, both of the Mathias community, were recently married and have returned from a wedding trip in the South.

Mr. Halterman worked for several years in Tennessee and Miss Wilkins has been employed in Virginia this past summer. They will make their home in Virginia.

Marriage Announced

Miss Delia Catherine See. Mathias, daughter of Mrs. Nellie See and the late G. C. See, became the bride of Charles Edward Foltz, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Foltz, Lost City, Friday evening, January 2, at the Winchester Evangelical U. B. parsonage. Rev Carl Hiser, pastor, performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride was attired in an aqua street length dress with black accessories and wore a shoulder corsage of red roses.

The bride has made her home for the past six years with her sister, Mrs. Harry Albright. The bridegroom has resided with his sister, Mrs. Marvin Souder, Lost City. He spent 27 months in the service, 12 months of which were overseas.

Deer Are Hazard

Deer are becoming a traffic hazard on the state road between Wardensville and the Hampshire Hardy county line. Last Saturday night John Ely's car was damaged severely when a deer ran in front of the car at night.

Last Sunday night Philip Miller and Private Melvin Whetsel narrowly missed crashing into a deer that jumped from a bank in front of the car. Almost instantly a second deer crashed into the rear door of the moving vehicle. The deer broke its neck in the leap. Game Protector Stanley Hughes was called and took the dead deer to Berkeley Springs for use as food at the state fish hatchery.

Brief Items

The Luxemburg Happy Workers Four-H Club held a "watch party" on New Year's Eve at the home of the club leader, Walter Funkhouser.

Mrs. Roy Peters gave a candy making demonstration at a meeting of the Rock Oak Farm Women's Club in the home of Mrs. Alton Timbrook. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Heare.

Eight Men Join U. S. Army Here

Eight men enlisted for service in the Army and Air Force at the local recruiting station yesterday and were sent to Baltimore for processing, Capt. Laurence M. Bairstow announced.

Four men signed for duty in the Air Force. One of the recruits, Russel Walter Blubaugh, 342 Front Street, Westernport, was enlisted as a corporal.

Others are Charles Donald Haren, Mt. Savage; Richard Murray Walsh, 106 Potomac Street, Westernport and Joseph Thomas Morgan, Hyndman, Pa.

For the regular army those enlisted are: Ralph W. Bean, 723 Gephart Drive; Bernard Charles Kifer, 471 Fort Avenue; Roy Franklin Williams, Parsons, W. Va., and Victor Johns, Hyndman.

CONGRESS FULL OF MUSICIANS, SONG BIRDS, MAGICIANS WHO ARE SKILLED ENTERTAINERS

Senator Taylor and his banjo have been widely publicized.

President Truman, when vice president, created a sensation when he posed at the piano with Actress Lauren Bacall perched on top of it.

By ESTHER V. W. TUFTY
Central Press Correspondent

WASHINGTON — Vaudeville is not a thing of the past.

It is being kept alive by certain congressmen. These misplaced persons from Broadway can offer every kind of act except trained seals and many a congressman has been called that, too.

To buy this high box-office talent, no money is necessary. Just plenty of political pull, a currency with inflation value at election time.

Oddly enough, the entertainers are some of the best men in Congress, maybe, partially, because they don't take themselves too seriously in their leisure time.

The best press agent job has been done on Senator Glen Taylor who, astride his horse, made the western circuit last summer. Of course, he was a professional actor before constituents made vaudeville pay off in votes at election time.

In Washington, Taylor, Taylor and Son put on a family act of songs anytime the family wants something in the nation's capital. To get a place to live, this troup sang on the Capitol steps. They got headlines and an apartment.

The matinee-idol looking senator (but he wears a toupee, girls!) strums a guitar while wife Dora sings, "A Long Way to Tipperary," Son gives forth with "Rufus, Rastus Johnston Brown," and the senator fills in with "Dancing in the Moonlight"—all at the same time!

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EVEN THE MORE DIGNIFIED leaders in the Senate have skits to make them the life of many a Washington party.

Democratic floor leader, Senator Alben Barkley will, if sufficiently urged, give forth with "Wagon Wheels" and "My Old Kentucky Home."

'Tis said that the senior senator from Kentucky developed his talent in self defense when a lively young rival, former Senator A. B. (Happy) Chandler, stumped his state singing his campaign promises.

The boys down at the Press club, who like nothing better than to make their news-sources entertain them on their annual Congressional Night, knew about this rivalry. So one brave master of ceremonies suggested they harmonize on "My Old Kentucky Home."

Barkley sputtered a few sputters, but the show must go on especially when hundreds of reporters comprise the audience. So he sang with the junior senator. It brought down the house.

Duets are a dime a dozen among law-makers. Rep. Dewey Short of Missouri and his sister have a sure fire hit of a brother and sister combination on "The West Virginia Hillbilly Song."

Two Tennessee congressmen—Percy Priest and Albert Gore—go soulful with "Danny Boy." Priest has never forgotten he once led the church choir back home in Nashville. His most distinguished audience was a group of big-wig Democrats, including President Truman, who asked him to sing aboard a yacht returning from a party get-together at Jefferson island.

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THE GOP barbershop quartet should have a good run in Philadelphia at convention time in June. This "sell out" harmonizes Harry Towe of New Jersey, Frank Fellows of Maine, Harvey Tibbott of Pennsylvania and Les Arends of Illinois.

Like most barbershop quartets, Arends says, "We're no good, but we have a lot of fun."

New talent was discovered as junketing congressmen travelled together in foreign lands. One group of fact-seeking members were "briefed" so often on "the situation in this area," that Paul Shafer of Michigan worked up a burlesque routine.

In one not-to-be-mentioned faraway spot, the Michigan man told the general in command: "This evening, general, we're gonna brief you."

That night after dinner, in the officers' mess, Shafer acted as master of ceremonies. He presented Congresswoman Clare Boothe Luce in an impersonation of Eleanor Roosevelt. The fair Clare wasn't the only impersonator. Clifford Davis of Tennessee needs no urging to take off any of his colleagues and Paul Kilday of Texas as "Mr. Churchill," is a side-splitter.

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KILDAY SLOUCHES into a Churchill staunch, puffs a stubby cigar and in a heavy British accent winds up his act with:

"Before I left England, the King and I discussed that I might be able to collect me traveling expenses. I understand there's an additional six billion for lend-lease before the Congress. So, not only will I collect me traveling expenses but a 'andsome bonus as well."

The fame of this traveling troup from Washington spread from camp to camp. When they reached the Royal Palace of Rome, Prince Umberto asked them to perform before the late King Victor Emmanuel, the United States ambassador to Italy, and Ambassador to the Vatican Myron C. Taylor.

The royal prince became so fascinated with Shafer's magic tricks, he asked for the "know-how." Shafer obliged with a slow motion demonstration on how to cut a rope in half and put it back together. Also, told him how to put a 50-cent piece ir a bottle and take it out.

The Michigan congressman learned these tricks from Blackstone the magician, who lives in Colon, Mich., and from Percy Abbott who runs a trick manufacturing company in the same town.

When these congressional troupers landed back in the United States, they became "lions" at Washington parties.

Some senators vaudevilize their speech-making abilities. On one Press club "amateur show," Howard Acton, who is the traditional master of ceremonies when there are congressmen to deal with, persuaded the dignified New Jersey senator, Albert W. Hawkes, former president of a rug company, to give a one-minute speech on "Will linoleum ever replace tenderized steaks?"

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THAT SAME NIGHT Senator Joseph O'Mahoney of Wyoming did an Irish jig. Nebraska's Senator Kenneth Wherry, a former undertaker, gave an oration on his previous occupation.

On this business of relaxing by giving homespun entertainment, the Congress and the White House are in agreement. Harry Truman at the piano was top billing in Washington drawing rooms and Press club functions even before he was in the White House.

A never-to-be-forgotten incident at the Press club was on one occasion when Truman, then vice president, agreed to pose for a picture with Movie Actress Lauren Bacall sitting atop his piano. Photographers and reporters yelled "More cheesecake" and Miss Bacall lifted her skirts above her knee. Reaction to the widely-published picture was varied.

Press club members feared Mr. Truman would be annoyed at the situation they had created. If he was, he didn't let them know it.

Like the president, members of Congress are good sports and the only reason they don't perform more often is the fear that their stage capers will reflect adversely on the Congress or the White House.

So far it hasn't lost any elections. In fact, just the opposite.

STRAWS IN THE WIND

BROADWAY

By DANTON WALKER

Manhattan Memoranda

Ex-King Michael of Romania is expected here on a visit next July and may remain to become a United States citizen because of his large holdings in American securities. . . . Lord Milford - Haven, best man at the Princess Elizabeth - Philip Mountbatten nuptials, is due here around March to take the job offered him by David Sarnoff of RCA if that's still news. . . . Broadway's newest sport is betting on just who Lana Turner's next "fiance" will be after she has given Bob Topping the brush-off. One local playboy who managed to get his name linked with Lana's took his publicity so seriously that he has employed a press agent to keep his name in the public prints. . . . The 17-year-old daughter of Annabella, by a pre-Tyrone Power marriage (to Jean Murat) has applied for a government job. . . . Joan Barry, whose legal battles with Charlie Chaplin were once front page news—she is now happily married to railroad man Russell C. Seck Jr.—is expecting her third child.

Joan Barry

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DETROIT'S NEW MAYOR A REAL 'CITY FATHER'

Eugene Van Antwerp Rises From Cop to City's Highest Post

By JOHN CREECY
Central Press Correspondent

DETROIT—Eugene I. Van Antwerp, who has just taken office as mayor of Detroit, is one public official who really merits the hackneyed designation "city father."

He is the father of 11 children and the grandfather of 18 (at the latest count).

Born 58 years ago in Detroit, he is a fifth generation member of one of Detroit's oldest Catholic families. His colorful career has included years as a teacher, soldier, railroad engineer and public official.

In one way his record parallels that of Mayor William F. O'Dwyer of New York. Both got their start as policemen.

Back in 1911, when Gene van Antwerp was 21 and had been married less than a year, he learned that 100 new policemen were to be hired.

He was turned down because the rule was to hire no one under 23. So he marched into the office of Police Commissioner Frank Croul.

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AFTER he had pleaded his case Croul said:

"You are big enough and strong enough; so you have a job. Rules are made to be broken."

Van Antwerp doesn't recall his first arrest, but he remembers arresting 19 men in one night for being drunk and disorderly on one downtown street.

Soon after he became a full-fledged cop, Gene made the front pages of the newspapers by entering a flaming house and rescuing a woman. The fire equipment had not arrived and the woman was about to jump from a second-story window.

A little later he was robbed of his gun and other equipment when he attempted to arrest five robbery suspects. One of them hit him on the head with a paving brick.

"Even to the present day, my head sometimes still bothers me as a result of that blow," the new mayor says.

Behind him when he joined the force was a period as an instructor in mathematics and English at Gonzaga university, Spokane, Wash. Then he had set out to be a farmer by claiming a homestead in Benwick county, Idaho.

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HE STARTED clearing the land and, rather than go through a costly lawsuit, returned to Detroit.

After a year and a half as a policeman Gene quit to become a salesman. Later he became a civil engineer in the land divisions of the Michigan Central and Grand Trunk railroads.

One week after war was declared in 1917 he enlisted in the 16th Engineers. He served with the AEF in Europe and was mustered out as a captain in the office of the chief of army engineers in Washington.

After the war he resumed employment with a railroad and in 1926 became chief engineer for the National Survey service. Meanwhile he was active in veterans affairs.

DETROIT'S NEW MAYOR, Eugene Van Antwerp, a one-time policeman, is pictured above with his wife and four of his 11 children.

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His activity in behalf of veterans was climaxed in 1938-39 when he was made national commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

In 1931 he had been elected a member of Detroit's common council. Until he decided to run for mayor he had retained his seat continuously, for a total of eight two-year terms.

His candidacy was not taken too seriously at first. Incumbent Mayor Edward J. Jeffries, Jr., who incidentally had started in public life by being elected to the council the same year as Van Antwerp, was generally regarded as almost certain of another term.

Even when Van Antwerp finished ahead of Jeffries by a substantial margin in the primary, he was not regarded as the candidate most likely to succeed.

Jeffries, whose sharp tongue had made him many enemies despite a creditable record as mayor, had been through situations like this twice before. In 1945, UAW-CIO official Richard Frankensteen had beaten him badly in the primary, but Jeffries had won by a good margin in the final election. It had been the same story in 1943.

But this year it was different.

In both previous elections, Jeffries had been opposed by men with the belligerent support of union labor. The conservative voters had feared the UAW would take over the town.

Van Antwerp had no such connections. In fact he campaigned on a platform of curbing strike violence by means of a forceful police policy. The issue was a current one because of a hectic garage workers strike that brought out so-called "goon squads" of helmeted pickets.

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VAN ANTWERP also was critical of the Jeffries policy of replacing the municipal street car lines with buses.

When the votes were counted, he was the winner by a landslide.

Even before taking office he gave evidence that his administration was going to be considerably different from that of Jeffries.

He replaced Jeffries' police commissioner—John Ballenger, a professional social worker — with hard-hitting Harry S. Toy, who had made quite a reputation as a vigorous prosecutor some years back. Toy was told: "Keep the goon squads under control."

Van Antwerp also has taken steps to replace most of the other major appointees of Jeffries.

Regardless of their views on these points, most Detroiters are agreed on one thing: Affable, jolly Van Antwerp will make the best official "greeter" and cornerstone layer that Detroit has had in a long time.

Lane Will Confer With Race Group About Complaints

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 7 (AP) — Governor Lane said today he would discuss with the Maryland Racing Commission a complaint by operators of the Marlboro race track that they are being "persecuted."

He explained he had not yet had time to digest the contents of a lengthy letter received yesterday from Joseph A. Farrell, president of the Southern Maryland Agricultural Association, asking for a hearing before the governor with all racing commissioners present.

The Commission's annual report had questioned whether the Association should retain its franchise to operate the track if it fails to improve the racing plant and "hold a first class agricultural fair."

The governor set no date for his conference with the Commission on Farrell's complaint.

Roads Returning To Normal After Snow

Road conditions in Western Maryland were returning to normal last night with State Police reporting chains unnecessary on all main roads in Allegany and Garrett Counties.

Two more inches of snow fell yesterday in Garrett County and there was some drifting as a result of strong winds earlier in the day, but State Police said last night the wind had let up and chains were unnecessary after highways had been cleared by State Roads Commission crews.

Roads were reported in good shape east of Cumberland.

Funeral Director's Aide Killed In Crash

Franklin F. Watkins, Jr., 18, Hancock, was killed about noon yesterday when the car State Police said he was driving skidded on an icy side road near Woodmont, west of Hancock, and overturned.

Watkins, an assistant to Charles Bast, Hancock funeral director, was returning after making arrangements for a funeral when the accident occurred.

State Trooper Harold Basore said the automobile was demolished.

Missing Person Sought

Local police last night were asked to be on the lookout for Mrs. Ruby Smith, who disappeared from her home in Johnstown, Pa. Police were informed she is five feet, two inches tall and weighs about 126 pounds. She has dark hair and eyes and a scar on her neck. She was wearing a gray dress and a checkered coat.

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Golden Admitted To Walter Reed Hospital

Suffering a knee injury while home on leave recently, Lt. Col. John C. Golden, Baltimore Pike, has been admitted to Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, and was scheduled to undergo an operation there yesterday.

Golden was home on leave before going to Korea when he injured his knee while cutting brush. He had been troubled by his knee in the past but not in recent years.

Father Benedict Improves

The condition of Rev. Benedict Wich, 82, O.F.M., of SS. Peter and Paul Monastery here, slightly improved yesterday in Allegany Hospital. Father Benedict, who was admitted to the hospital last Friday, is the oldest priest in the Pittsburgh province of the order both in age and ordination.

Building Trades Will Elect Officers Friday

Officers of the Building and Construction Trades Council, AFL, will be nominated and elected at a meeting Friday night at 8 o'clock in Trades Council Hall, George W. Lucas, president, announced. Refreshments will be served after the business session.

Laborers Local 616, AFL, will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Trades Council Hall. R. C. Simmons, business manager, said a smoker will be held after the meeting.

Powell Wins Ribbon In 4-H Contest

William Powell, Cumberland, a Celanese employe, won a blue ribbon in the Four-H Senior Council debate contest held yesterday in Baltimore in conjunction with the annual Maryland Farm Bureau convention.

Powell, who will be installed next week as president of the local Junior Extension Club, drew his subject from a list of 20 just before the debate began.

He served overseas with the Army during World War II and now resides on Greene Street.

First prize in the debate contest went to Roberta Taylor, Perryville, and John Holter, Jefferson, also won a blue ribbon.

William F. DeBerry, near Oakland, won three prizes in the white potatoes contest. His brother, Richard, took one and his wife won a first prize—all for different varieties.

Frostburg VFW Votes To Buy Race Hotel

Members of John R. Fairgrieve Post No. 2462, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Frostburg, voted at a meeting last night to purchase the Race Hotel building, Main Street, Frostburg, for conversion into and use as a post home.

The purchase price is $35,000. Sixty members were present at the meeting, with Post Commander Thomas W. Preston presiding.

Lt. Col. Randolph Millholland, Cumberland, executive officer of the 115th Regiment, 29th Division, Maryland National Guard, gave an address urging support of the National Guard.

Railroad Worker Is Injured In Fall

Edward O'Neal, 48, 19 Somerville Avenue, a B. and O. worker, was treated in Memorial Hospital yesterday afternoon for a right foot injury suffered when he was knocked from the top of a freight car. He told attaches he was injured at 1:10 p. m. at Evitt's Creek when a yard and Diesel engine coupled together.

M. B. Boor, 34, Cresaptown, a Hazelwood construction worker, was treated in the same hospital yesterday morning after he smashed his left thumb on a piece of machinery at the Schmidt Baking Company plant.

Two youths were treated yesterday for minor injuries suffered while sled riding. They were Alma Rudolph, 18, 614 Baltimore Avenue, in Allegany last night for a laceration on the left hip suffered in a sledding accident.

Alice Robinette, 15, Wellersburg, Pa., in Memorial last night for lacerations on the chin and lip suffered when the sled she was riding hit a culvert.

Raymond Mulligan, 26, 321 Independence Street, a Cumberland Brewing Company worker, was treated in Memorial last night for a deep laceration on the right arm after a bottle exploded.

"Joan Of Lorraine" Rehearsal Tonight

Alpha Delta Kappa, dramatic club of Allegany High School, will hold its second rehearsal of the forthcoming production, "Joan of Lorraine," tonight in the school auditorium at 7 o'clock.

The play, a Broadway hit by Maxwell Anderson, will be presented Februaary 5 and 6 at the school. Harold C. Wickard, ADK advisor, is the director. The play will be the 119th production which he has directed.

A living room of 15 by 20 by eight feet contains about 170 pounds of air.

Washington is known as the "Evergreen State."

"BACHELOR, OLD MAID" WED HERE REMARRY

A Connellsville, Pa., couple married in Cumberland December 29, 1887, gained nationwide publicity through the Associated Press recently in celebrating their wedding anniversary.

The couple, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob S. Garletts, have lived happily together ever since they eloped to Cumberland 60 years ago and were wed at the Presbyterian manse.

Garletts was giving a story on the anniversary to The Connellsville Courier and enjoyed it so much he and his wife decided to re-enact the ceremony.

They asked an alderman at Connellsville to get them a marriage license and perform the ceremony. In the meantime they neglected to tell their seven living children, none of whom live near Connellsville.

Either the alderman or the marriage license bureau must have misunderstood the situation.

The license was issued, giving his name and her maiden name correctly, and their ages, 80 and 79, respecttively. But it recorded them as "never before married."

Some out-of-town newspapers learned of the license but didn't learn the whole story. They play-up the affair as probably the oldest "bachelor-old maid" affair on record.

The children of the couple, wondering if they had been deceived about the first wedding, were decidedly upset until they managed to reach their parents to find out what really was going on.

29th Division Group To Install Officers

Kirby Post, 29th Division Association, will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the State Armory, for the installation of newly elected officers. Robert Matlick is the new commandant, succeeding Frank Hinze.

Following the meeting, two films of interest to members will be exhibited.

Auto Reported Stolen

Thomas Reed, Mt. Savage, reported to police last night that a 1941 Red Pontiac coach automobile bearing license No. 332-167 was stolen from in front of his home at 7 p. m.

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Hospital Fund Drive Planned In Moorefield

Structure Estimated To Cost $225,000

By KATHERINE FISHER

MOOREFIELD, W. Va.—Dr. G. E. Hartle spoke to the Moorefield Lions Club at the meeting at the Airport Inn Monday night and told of the developments of the proposed Valley View Hospital near Moorefield. Plans and blueprints for the structure and grounds have been completed and the proposed hospital to serve this section will cost $225,000. A drive to raise funds will be started immediately.

The new hospital can qualify for federal and state aid, according to Dr. N. H. Dyer, commissioner of the State Health Department of West Virginia. The government will pay one-third of the cost of the building, grounds and equipment for the hospital. Moorefield has an AA priority, the highest rating possible, due to the scarcity of hospital beds and service in this section.

Dr. Hartle stated that application for federal and state funds must be made by the first of March. The drive for funds will start within the next two weeks and local solicitors will call on individuals and business firms in this section.

Hartle stated that the physicians in this community would make up the medical staff and that surgeons and specialists from Cumberland, Md., Keyser or other cities would possibly serve. Qualified nurses from this section would be eligible to serve on the staff.

The first section of the hospital to be built will have 30 beds, with an additional wing to be built later, increasing the capacity to 50 beds. Hartle said that normally the staff in a hospital equalled the number of beds.

The board of directors of the new hospital met at Dr. Hartle's office Monday to complete all current business. Guests present at the meeting were C. B. Hiett and Judge H. M. Calhoun, representing the Lions Club at Moorefield, and Mrs. Joseph T. Frye, Wardensville, representing the Capon Valley women's organizations. C. M. Paden and C. J. Coon, Parkersburg; R. E. Logan, Cumberland, and L. V. Finister of Takoma Park, Md. were the directors present at the meeting. The next board of directors meeting will be in March.

Miss Oates Is Wed

Miss Viola Oates, daughter of John Oates and the late Mrs. Pearl Oates, became the bride of Samuel D. Miller, son of Mrs. Rose Miller and the late Adam Miller, Wardensville, in Strasburg, Va., December 30.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a royal blue velvet street length dress with a sweetheart neckline outlined in black sequins and black accessories. Her only ornament was a single strand of pearls.

The bridegroom has served in the Navy for 30 months. He is now serving on the carrier Coral Sea at Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Miller will remain at her home until her husband returns from the Navy.

Mathias Couple Wed

Isaac S. Halterman and Miss Lula Wilkins, both of the Mathias community, were recently married and have returned from a wedding trip in the South.

Mr. Halterman worked for several years in Tennessee and Miss Wilkins has been employed in Virginia this past summer. They will make their home in Virginia.

Marriage Announced

Miss Delia Catherine See, Mathias, daughter of Mrs. Nellie See and the late G. C. See, became the bride of Charles Edward Foltz, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Foltz, Lost City, Friday evening, January 2, at the Winchester Evangelical U. B. parsonage. Rev Carl Hiser, pastor, performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride was attired in an aqua street length dress with black accessories and wore a shoulder corsage of red roses.

The bride has made her home for the past six years with her sister, Mrs. Harry Albright. The bridegroom has resided with his sister, Mrs. Marvin Souder, Lost City. He spent 27 months in the service, 12 months of which were overseas.

Deer Are Hazard

Deer are becoming a traffic hazard on the state road between Wardensville and the Hampshire Hardy county line. Last Saturday night John Ely's car was damaged severely when a deer ran in front of the car at night.

Last Sunday night Philip Miller and Private Melvin Whetsel narrowly missed crashing into a deer that jumped from a bank in front of the car. Almost instantly a second deer crashed into the rear door of the moving vehicle. The deer broke its neck in the leap. Game Protector Stanley Hughes was called and took the dead deer to Berkeley Springs for use as food at the state fish hatchery.

Brief Items

The Luxemburg Happy Workers Four-H Club held a "watch party" on New Year's Eve at the home of the club leader, Walter Funkhouser.

Mrs. Roy Peters gave a candy making demonstration at a meeting of the Rock Oak Farm Women's Club in the home of Mrs. Alton Timbrook. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Heare.

CONGRESS FULL OF MUSICIANS, SONG BIRDS, MAGICIANS WHO ARE SKILLED ENTERTAINERS

Senator Taylor and his banjo have been widely publicized.

President Truman, when vice president, created a sensation when he posed at the piano with Actress Lauren Bacall perched on top of it.

By ESTHER V. W. TUFTY
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WASHINGTON — Vaudeville is not a thing of the past.

It is being kept alive by certain congressmen. These misplaced persons from Broadway can offer every kind of act except trained seals and many a congressman has been called that, too.

To buy this high box-office talent, no money is necessary. Just plenty of political pull, a currency with inflation value at election time.

Oddly enough, the entertainers are some of the best men in Congress, maybe, partially, because they don't take themselves too seriously in their leisure time.

The best press agent job has been done on Senator Glen Taylor who, astride his horse, made the western circuit last summer. Of course, he was a professional actor before constituents made vaudeville pay off in votes at election time.

In Washington, Taylor, Taylor and Son put on a family act of songs anytime the family wants something in the nation's capital. To get a place to live, this troup sang on the Capitol steps. They got headlines and an apartment.

The matinee-idol looking senator (but he wears a toupee, girls!) strums a guitar while wife Dora sings, "A Long Way to Tipperary," Son gives forth with "Rufus, Rastus Johnston Brown," and the senator fills in with "Dancing in the Moonlight"—all at the same time!

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EVEN THE MORE DIGNIFIED leaders in the Senate have skits to make them the life of many a Washington party.

Democratic floor leader, Senator Alben Barkley will, if sufficiently urged, give forth with "Wagon Wheels" and "My Old Kentucky Home."

'Tis said that the senior senator from Kentucky developed his talent in self defense when a lively young rival, former Senator A. B. (Happy) Chandler, stumped his state singing his campaign promises.

The boys down at the Press club, who like nothing better than to make their news-sources entertain them on their annual Congressional Night, knew about this rivalry. So one brave master of ceremonies suggested they harmonize on "My Old Kentucky Home."

Barkley sputtered a few sputters, but the show must go on especially when hundreds of reporters comprise the audience. So he sang with the junior senator. It brought down the house.

Duets are a dime a dozen among law-makers. Rep. Dewey Short of Missouri and his sister have a sure fire hit of a brother and sister combination on "The West Virginia Hillbilly Song."

Two Tennessee congressmen—Percy Priest and Albert Gore—go soulful with "Danny Boy." Priest has never forgotten he once led the church choir back home in Nashville. His most distinguished audience was a group of big-wig Democrats, including President Truman, who asked him to sing aboard a yacht returning from a party get-together at Jefferson island.

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THE GOP barbershop quartet should have a good run in Philadelphia at convention time in June. This "sell out" harmonizes Harry Towe of New Jersey, Frank Fellows of Maine, Harvey Tibbott of Pennsylvania and Les Arends of Illinois.

Like most barbershop quartets, Arends says, "We're no good, but we have a lot of fun."

New talent was discovered as junketing congressmen travelled together in foreign lands. One group of fact-seeking members were "briefed" so often on "the situation in this area," that Paul Shafer of Michigan worked up a burlesque routine.

In one not-to-be-mentioned faraway spot, the Michigan man told the general in command: "This evening, general, we're gonna brief you."

That night after dinner, in the officers' mess, Shafer acted as master of ceremonies. He presented Congresswoman Clare Boothe Luce in an impersonation of Eleanor Roosevelt. The fair Clare wasn't the only impersonator. Clifford Davis of Tennessee needs no urging to take off any of his colleagues and Paul Kilday of Texas as "Mr. Churchill," is a side-splitter.

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KILDAY SLOUCHES into a Churchill staunch, puffs a stubby cigar and in a heavy British accent winds up his act with:

"Before I left England, the King and I discussed that I might be able to collect me traveling expenses. I understand there's an additional six billion for lend-lease before the Congress. So, not only will I collect me traveling expenses but a 'andsome bonus as well."

The fame of this traveling troup from Washington spread from camp to camp. When they reached the Royal Palace of Rome, Prince Umberto asked them to perform before the late King Victor Emanuel, the United States ambassador to Italy, and Ambassador to the Vatican Myron C. Taylor.

The royal prince became so fascinated with Shafer's magic tricks, he asked for the "know-how." Shafer obliged with a slow motion demonstration on how to cut a rope in half and put it back together. Also, told him how to put a 50-cent piece ir a bottle and take it out.

The Michigan congressman learned these tricks from Blackstone the magician, who lives in Colon, Mich., and from Percy Abbott who runs a trick manufacturing company in the same town.

When these congressional troupers landed back in the United States, they became "lions" at Washington parties.

Some senators vaudevilize their speech-making abilities. On one Press club "amateur show," Howard Acton, who is the traditional master of ceremonies when there are congressmen to deal with, persuaded the dignified New Jersey senator, Albert W. Hawkes, former president of a rug company, to give a one-minute speech on "Will linoleum ever replace tenderized steaks?"

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THAT SAME NIGHT Senator Joseph O'Mahoney of Wyoming did an Irish jig. Nebraska's Senator Kenneth Wherry, a former undertaker, gave an oration on his previous occupation.

On this business of relaxing by giving homespun entertainment, the Congress and the White House are in agreement. Harry Truman at the piano was top billing in Washington drawing rooms and Press club functions even before he was in the White House.

A never-to-be-forgotten incident at the Press club was on one occasion when Truman, then vice president, agreed to pose for a picture with Movie Actress Lauren Bacall sitting atop his piano. Photographers and reporters yelled "More cheesecake" and Miss Bacall lifted her skirts above her knee. Reaction to the widely-published picture was varied.

Press club members feared Mr. Truman would be annoyed at the situation they had created. If he was, he didn't let them know it.

Like the president, members of Congress are good sports and the only reason they don't perform more often is the fear that their stage capers will reflect adversely on the Congress or the White House.

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STRAWS IN THE WIND

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By DANTON WALKER

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DETROIT—Eugene I. Van Antwerp, who has just taken office as mayor of Detroit, is one public official who really merits the hackneyed designation "city father."

He is the father of 11 children and the grandfather of 18 (at the latest count).

Born 58 years ago in Detroit, he is a fifth generation member of one of Detroit's oldest Catholic families. His colorful career has included years as a teacher, soldier, railroad engineer and public official.

In one way his record parallels that of Mayor William F. O'Dwyer of New York. Both got their start as policemen.

Back in 1911, when Gene van Antwerp was 21 and had been married less than a year, he learned that 100 new policemen were to be hired.

He was turned down because the rule was to hire no one under 23. So he marched into the office of Police Commissioner Frank Croul.

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AFTER he had pleaded his case Croul said:

"You are big enough and strong enough; so you have a job. Rules are made to be broken."

Van Antwerp doesn't recall his first arrest, but he remembers arresting 19 men in one night for being drunk and disorderly on one downtown street.

Soon after he became a full-fledged cop, Gene made the front pages of the newspapers by entering a flaming house and rescuing a woman. The fire equipment had not arrived and the woman was about to jump from a second-story window.

A little later he was robbed of his gun and other equipment when he attempted to arrest five robbery suspects. One of them hit him on the head with a paving brick.

"Even to the present day, my head sometimes still bothers me as a result of that blow," the new mayor says.

Behind him when he joined the force was a period as an instructor in mathematics and English at Gonzaga university, Spokane, Wash. Then he had set out to be a farmer by claiming a homestead in Benwick county, Idaho.

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HE STARTED clearing the land and, rather than go through a costly lawsuit, returned to Detroit.

After a year and a half as a policeman Gene quit to become a salesman. Later he became a civil engineer in the land divisions of the Michigan Central and Grand Trunk railroads.

One week after war was declared in 1917 he enlisted in the 16th Engineers. He served with the AEF in Europe and was mustered out as a captain in the office of the chief of army engineers in Washington.

After the war he resumed employment with a railroad and in 1926 became chief engineer for the National Survey service. Meanwhile he was active in veterans affairs.

DETROIT'S NEW MAYOR, Eugene Van Antwerp, a one-time policeman, is pictured above with his wife and four of his 11 children.

HE WAS national commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars in 1939.

His activity in behalf of veterans was climaxed in 1938-39 when he was made national commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

In 1931 he had been elected a member of Detroit's common council. Until he decided to run for mayor he had retained his seat continuously, for a total of eight two-year terms.

His candidacy was not taken too seriously at first. Incumbent Mayor Edward J. Jeffries, Jr., who incidentally had started in public life by being elected to the council the same year as Van Antwerp, was generally regarded as almost certain of another term.

Even when Van Antwerp finished ahead of Jeffries by a substantial margin in the primary, he was not regarded as the candidate most likely to succeed.

Jeffries, whose sharp tongue had made him many enemies despite a creditable record as mayor, had been through situations like this twice before. In 1945, UAW-CIO official Richard Frankensteen had beaten him badly in the primary, but Jeffries had won by a good margin in the final election. It had been the same story in 1943.

But this year it was different.

In both previous elections, Jeffries had been opposed by men with the belligerent support of union labor. The conservative voters had feared the UAW would take over the town.

Van Antwerp had no such connections. In fact he campaigned on a platform of curbing strike violence by means of a forceful police policy. The issue was a current one because of a hectic garage workers strike that brought out so-called "goon squads" of helmeted pickets.

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VAN ANTWERP also was critical of the Jeffries policy of replacing the municipal street car lines with buses.

When the votes were counted, he was the winner by a landslide.

Even before taking office he gave evidence that his administration was going to be considerably different from that of Jeffries.

He replaced Jeffries' police commissioner—John Ballenger, a professional social worker — with hard-hitting Harry S. Toy, who had made quite a reputation as a vigorous prosecutor some years back. Toy was told: "Keep the goon squads under control."

Van Antwerp also has taken steps to replace most of the other major appointees of Jeffries.

Regardless of their views on these points, most Detroiters are agreed on one thing: Affable, jolly Van Antwerp will make the best official "greeter" and cornerstone layer that Detroit has had in a long time.

Lane Will Confer With Race Group About Complaints

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 7 (AP) — Governor Lane said today he would discuss with the Maryland Racing Commission a complaint by operators of the Marlboro race track that they are being "persecuted."

He explained he had not yet had time to digest the contents of a lengthy letter received yesterday from Joseph A. Farrell, president of the Southern Maryland Agricultural Association, asking for a hearing before the governor with all racing commissioners present.

The Commission's annual report had questioned whether the Association should retain its franchise to operate the track if it fails to improve the racing plant and "hold a first class agricultural fair."

The governor set no date for his conference with the Commission on Farrell's complaint.

Roads Returning To Normal After Snow

Road conditions in Western Maryland were returning to normal last night with State Police reporting chains unnecessary on all main roads in Allegany and Garrett Counties.

Two more inches of snow fell yesterday in Garrett County and there was some drifting as a result of strong winds earlier in the day, but State Police said last night the wind had let up and chains were unnecessary after highways had been cleared by State Roads Commission crews.

Roads were reported in good shape east of Cumberland.

Funeral Director's Aide Killed In Crash

Franklin F. Watkins, Jr., 18, Hancock, was killed about noon yesterday when the car State Police said he was driving skidded on an icy side road near Woodmont, west of Hancock, and overturned.

Watkins, an assistant to Charles Bast, Hancock funeral director, was returning after making arrangements for a funeral when the accident occurred.

State Trooper Harold Basore said the automobile was demolished.

Missing Person Sought

Local police last night were asked to be on the lookout for Mrs. Ruby Smith, who disappeared from her home in Johnstown, Pa. Police were informed she is five feet, two inches tall and weighs about 126 pounds. She has dark hair and eyes and a scar on her neck. She was wearing a gray dress and a checkered coat.

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Golden Admitted To Walter Reed Hospital

Suffering a knee injury while home on leave recently, Lt. Col. John C. Golden, Baltimore Pike, has been admitted to Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, and was scheduled to undergo an operation there yesterday.

Golden was home on leave before going to Korea when he injured his knee while cutting brush. He had been troubled by his knee in the past but not in recent years.

Father Benedict Improves

The condition of Rev. Benedict Wich, 82, O.F.M., of SS. Peter and Paul Monastery here, slightly improved yesterday in Allegany Hospital. Father Benedict, who was admitted to the hospital last Friday, is the oldest priest in the Pittsburgh province of the order both in age and ordination.

Building Trades Will Elect Officers Friday

Officers of the Building and Construction Trades Council, AFL, will be nominated and elected at a meeting Friday night at 8 o'clock in Trades Council Hall, George W. Lucas, president, announced. Refreshments will be served after the business session.

Laborers Local 616, AFL, will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Trades Council Hall. R. C. Simmons, business manager, said a smoker will be held after the meeting.

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Powell Wins Ribbon In 4-H Contest

William Powell, Cumberland, a Celanese employe, won a blue ribbon in the Four-H Senior Council debate contest held yesterday in Baltimore in conjunction with the annual Maryland Farm Bureau convention.

Powell, who will be installed next week as president of the local Junior Extension Club, drew his subject from a list of 20 just before the debate began.

He served overseas with the Army during World War II and now resides on Greene Street.

First prize in the debate contest went to Roberta Taylor, Perryville, and John Holter, Jefferson, also won a blue ribbon.

William F. DeBerry, near Oakland, won three prizes in the white potatoes contest. His brother, Richard, took one and his wife won a first prize—all for different varieties.

Frostburg VFW Votes To Buy Race Hotel

Members of John R. Fairgrieve Post No. 2462, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Frostburg, voted at a meeting last night to purchase the Race Hotel building, Main Street, Frostburg, for conversion into and use as a post home.

The purchase price is $35,000. Sixty members were present at the meeting, with Post Commander Thomas W. Preston presiding.

Lt. Col. Randolph Millholland, Cumberland, executive officer of the 115th Regiment, 29th Division, Maryland National Guard, gave an address urging support of the National Guard.

Railroad Worker Is Injured In Fall

Edward O'Neal, 48, 19 Somerville Avenue, a B. and O. worker, was treated in Memorial Hospital yesterday afternoon for a right foot injury suffered when he was knocked from the top of a freight car. He told attaches he was injured at 1:10 p. m. at Evitt's Creek when a yard and Diesel engine coupled together.

M. B. Boor, 34, Cresaptown, a Hazelwood construction worker, was treated in the same hospital yesterday morning after he smashed his left thumb on a piece of machinery at the Schmidt Baking Company plant.

Two youths were treated yesterday for minor injuries suffered while sled riding. They were Alma Rudolph, 18, 614 Baltimore Avenue, in Allegany last night for a laceration on the left hip suffered in a sledding accident.

Alice Robinette, 15, Wellersburg, Pa., in Memorial last night for lacerations on the chin and lip suffered when the sled she was riding hit a culvert.

Raymond Mulligan, 26, 321 Independence Street, a Cumberland Brewing Company worker, was treated in Memorial last night for a deep laceration on the right arm after a bottle exploded.

"Joan Of Lorraine" Rehearsal Tonight

Alpha Delta Kappa, dramatic club of Allegany High School, will hold its second rehearsal of the forthcoming production, "Joan of Lorraine," tonight in the school auditorium at 7 o'clock.

The play, a Broadway hit by Maxwell Anderson, will be presented Februaary 5 and 6 at the school. Harold C. Wickard, ADK advisor, is the director. The play will be the 119th production which he has directed.

A living room of 15 by 20 by eight feet contains about 170 pounds of air.

Washington is known as the "Evergreen State."

"BACHELOR, OLD MAID" WED HERE REMARRY

A Connellsville, Pa., couple married in Cumberland December 29, 1887, gained nationwide publicity through the Associated Press recently in celebrating their wedding anniversary.

The couple, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob S. Garletts, have lived happily together ever since they eloped to Cumberland 60 years ago and were wed at the Presbyterian manse.

Garletts was giving a story on the anniversary to The Connellsville Courier and enjoyed it so much he and his wife decided to re-enact the ceremony.

They asked an alderman at Connellsville to get them a marriage license and perform the ceremony. In the meantime they neglected to tell their seven living children, none of whom live near Connellsville.

Either the alderman or the marriage license bureau must have misunderstood the situation.

The license was issued, giving his name and her maiden name correctly, and their ages, 80 and 79, respecttively. But it recorded them as "never before married."

Some out-of-town newspapers learned of the license but didn't learn the whole story. They play-up the affair as probably the oldest "bachelor-old maid" affair on record.

The children of the couple, wondering if they had been deceived about the first wedding, were decidedly upset until they managed to reach their parents to find out what really was going on.

Eight Men Join U. S. Army Here

Eight men enlisted for service in the Army and Air Force at the local recruiting station yesterday and were sent to Baltimore for processing, Capt. Laurence M. Bairstow announced.

Four men signed for duty in the Air Force. One of the recruits, Russel Walter Blubaugh, 342 Front Street, Westernport, was enlisted as a corporal.

Others are Charles Donald Haren, Mt. Savage; Richard Murray Walsh, 106 Potomac Street, Westernport and Joseph Thomas Morgan, Hyndman, Pa.

For the regular army those enlisted are: Ralph W. Bean, 723 Gephart Drive; Bernard Charles Kifer, 471 Fort Avenue; Roy Franklin Williams, Parsons, W. Va., and Victor Johns, Hyndman.

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Grand Jury Tells Police To Enforce Gaming Laws

Commissioners Urged To Review Reports

The Grand Jury instructed heads of various police departments in Allegany County to enforce the gaming laws and recommended that the County Commissioners review several past reports of grand juries containing recommendations pertaining to the Court House, according to the report submitted at the opening of Circuit Court yesterday morning.

After convening Monday, the Grand Jury for the January term of court examined 60 witnesses and returned 11 indictments, on the basis of the report submitted by James W. Bishop, foreman.

The report points out, "We had before our body the sheriff for Allegany County; the commissioner of Police and Fire for the City of Cumberland, William Keegan; and Police Department heads and many of the officers of the City of Cumberland and of Frostburg, Westernport, Barton, Lonaconing, Luke, Midland and Mt. Savage, and a number of constables. They reported to our body that there were no violations of the laws existing in Allegany County now or since the last session of the Grand Jury that have not been followed by investigations and prosecutions. Our body instructed the heads of the Police Departments, as well as a number of officers who came before it, that violations of the gaming law in Allegany County will not be tolerated and that they should be constantly vigilant to see that these laws were not violated."

Relating to the Court House, the report stated: "The Grand Jury made an inspection of the Allegany County Court House and we recommended that the Board of County Commissioners review several past reports of grand juries, which contain many recommendations pertaining to the Court House, as, upon inspection of the Court House by this Grand Jury, we find that such recommendations have been totally ignored. We repeat the recommendation of previous grand juries that the interior decorating in the Circuit Court room be reconditioned and that a more adequate lighting system be installed, and that repairs to the roof of the Court House be made as quickly as possible."

The report also points out that a committee from the Grand Jury inspected the Allegany County Home and found the kitchen and dining room to be "kept in a neat, orderly and sanitary manner and all parts of the home are neat and orderly."

Crowded conditions there are cited, but the report says no relief can be given until the new building is completed. It was recommended that "some fire extinguishers be placed at various points throughout the building."

Inspection of Sylvan Retreat, the County Hospital for the Insane, was made by a Grand Jury committee which found buildings there to be kept in a "sanitary and cleanly manner."

This institution also is crowded, the report says, adding that "this condition will be relieved upon completion of the building now in the course of construction." It is pointed out that the "walls and ceilings in the old part of the building need repairing and repainting."

Inspection of the County Jail showed it to be in a "satisfactory condition" and to be "clean and sanitary," according to the report.

It adds that "a committee from our body examined the records of the County Treasurer's office and, in our opinion, the books are well kept in accordance with modern accounting methods." The report also says a "superficial inspection" was made of the books and that the jurors "understand an audit is made periodically by competent and proper authorities."

One of the mine inspectors for the county appeared before the Grand Jury and reported no serious violations, the report says. It also states that Reid C. Hoenicka, Cumberland fire chief, reported no violations of the laws pertaining to his department and said regular inspections are made throughout the city and everything humanly possible done to prevent fires.

The Grand Jury also found "that Morgan C. Harris, state's attorney; Terrence J. Boyle, county investigator; and Harry Holsinger, acting county investigator, had all cases prepared for presentation to the Grand Jury in an effective manner in matters pertaining to criminal offenses and all other cases were handled promptly and efficiently."

The report also commends Clerk of Court Robert Jackson and court attaches for services rendered to the Grand Jury.

Court Reverses

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Board on Monday, January 12, 1948, until the termination of said suspension.

Attorneys Make Pleas

In presenting the two appeals to the Court yesterday morning, Attorneys William A. Gunter and D. Lindley Sloan represented Molinari and the Cadillac, while Edward J. Ryan was attorney for William Ware.

Gunter and Sloan argued the technicality of the law governing license suspensions of corporations and told the Court the law makes specific mention that two convictions of a corporation's agents are necessary before a license can be suspended.

It also argued that the Cadillac is a corporation with an investment of $85,000 and that 15 persons are employed. To take the license away for 30 days would cause 15 local persons to be without earnings for that period, and would also wreck the business, the attorneys declared. Molinari previously was fined $200 in Circuit and Police Court for selling intoxicants after hours.

Ryan appealed to the Court to consider the 90-day suspension of Ware's license as excessive, in view of a $300 fine paid for the violation and other sentences imposed. Ryan told the Court his client has an investment of $35,000 in the establishment, $10,000 of which has been recently expended for improvements. Ware was charged with selling liquor to minors and permitting minors to loiter in the premises.

DEATHS

STRAW INFANT DIES

The six-day-old son of John and Anna Rank Straw, 213 Davidson Street, died yesterday morning in Allegany Hospital.

Surviving, besides his parents, are two brothers, John Straw, Jr., and Ronald Straw, both at home.

The body is at the Kight Funeral Home. Interment will be in Hillcrest Burial Park this afternoon.

MR. WAGNER RITES

A funeral service for Lawson Nathan Wagner, 62, retired real estate agent, who died Tuesday at his home, 1116 Bedford Street, will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the George Funeral Home.

Rev. B. Ralph Mark, pastor of Central Methodist Church, will officiate. The body will be placed in Rose Hill Mausoleum.

MISS CORA TWIGG RITES

A funeral service for Miss Cora Mae Twigg, 70, who died Monday at her home, 125 Springdale Street, will be conducted this morning at 10 o'clock in the Stein Funeral Home.

Rev. C. N. Hutchinson, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene will officiate and burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be W. P. Crabtree, C. P. Henry, Samuel Shaffer and Donald McKenzie, members of the official board of the Church of the Nazarene, and Glenn Watson and Earl Warner.

MRS. ELIZABETH FROST

MIDLAND—Mrs. Elizabeth Rachel Sigler Frost, 46, widow of William Frost, died yesterday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock at her home, Railroad Street, Midland, after an illness of six weeks.

She was a native of Moscow, a daughter of the late Charles and Edith Poland Sigler. Her husband, a farm hand at the Llewellyn Brothers Dairy, died six years ago.

Surviving are seven children, James, Eugene, Lucille and Edith Frost, all at home; Mrs. Marie Beaman, and Aaron Frost, both of Barton, and Andrew Frost, St. Paul, N. C.

Four brothers, Joseph, Midland; John, National; Adam, Lonaconing, and Gilbert Sigler, Miami, Fla.; two sisters, Mrs. Eva Lease, Midland, and Mrs. Lida Smith, Mt. Savage, and three grandchildren also survive.

FATHER BERNARDINE RITES

A funeral service was held yesterday morning in SS. Peter and Paul Catholic Church for Rev. Bernardine Kuhlman, O. F. M., Cap., who died last Saturday morning in a Canton, Ohio, hospital.

The Very Rev. Claude Vogel, O. F. M., Cap., was celebrant of the solemn requiem high mass and Father Baniface Wakeman, O. F. M., Cap., was deacon. Father Mel Heintl, O. F. M., Cap., was subdeacon and Father Maynard Appledorn, O. F. M., Cap., delivered the sermon.

Pallbearers were Joseph Kuhlman, George Kuhlman, Bernard Kuhlman, James Kuhlman, William Kuhlman and William Lewis Logsdon.

Interment was in SS Peter and Paul Cemetery.

J. W. WALMSLEY

J. W. Walmsley, about 72, Altona, Ill., formerly of this city, died last night at the home of his daughters, Mrs. Isabel Swanson and Mrs. Alice Effig, Washington, where he had been visiting.

Mr. Walmsley, a retired B. and O. engineer, was well known throughout this section.

Also surviving are his widow, Mrs. Verna (Miller) Walmsley, and another daughter, Mrs. Esther Johnson, Altona.

MRS. VIRGINIA BEVACQUA

Mrs. John B. Turano, 201 Baltimore Street, received word this week of the death of her mother, Mrs. Virginia Beyacqua, 69, in Cosenza, Italy.

Mrs. Bevacqua, a native of Cosenza, died December 12, 1947, at her home after a brief illness.

Also surviving are two daughters, one at home and the other a nun in Reggio Calabria, and two sons, one living in Cosenza and the other a priest in the Order of Friars Minor, Capuchin, in Italy.

Six grandchildren, including Robert, Eugene and Violet Turano, this city and Mrs. Lucille Cinquegrani, Baltimore, and two great grandchildren also survive.

MISS ELIZABETH STALLINGS

Miss M. Elizabeth Stallings, 20 Greene Street, died yesterday morning at the Christian Science Benevolent Association in Boston.

She was a sister of Robert L. Stallings, 517 Avirett Avenue, and Mrs. David A Robb, the Dingle.

A funeral service will be held here later this week.

JOSEPH KINSER RITES

A funeral service for Joseph Edward Kinser, 43, 310 Maryland Avenue, who died Monday in a Baltimore Hospital, will be conducted today at 2 p. m. in the Stein Funeral Home.

Rev. W. Randolph Keefe, pastor of Grace Baptist Church, will officiate and burial will be in Hillcrest Cemetery. Pallbearers will be members of Nest No. 90, Order of Owls, which will conduct a service at the grave.

News Briefs

Cumberland Chapter No. 914, Women of the Moose, will hold a regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the Moose home, corner of Beall and Smallwood Streets. Mrs. Shirley Short, senior regent will preside.

Nomination and election of officers of Cumberland Council, Navy League of the United States, will take place at 8 o'clock tonight at the Council home, 148 North Centre Street. Refreshments will be served.

Recently elected officers of William C. Kirby Post No. 70, 29th Division Association, will be installed at a post meeting at 8 o'clock tonight at the State Armory. Robert C. Matlick will become commander of the organization. Movies will be shown.

The Greater Cumberland Air Force Association will meet Thursday at 7:45 p. m. in the Veterans of Foreign Wars home. Prospective members are invited to attend the meeting. Moving pictures will be shown.

A bill of complaint was filed in Circuit Court yesterday by Herman Lee Miller, vs. Elsie M. Miller.

Charter Revision

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pect to stay." He did suggest however, that careful consideration be given a city management plan.

City Management Explained

Citing advantages of employing a city manager, Dr. Ray stated, "in a city manager, you employ a full-time, full-fledged experienced executive. Such a man operates a city as a business should be operated, and it must be remembered," Dr. Ray suggested, "that government is big business and running a city is no small job."

Such a man would supervise finances and aid in setting up budgets. Under a commission form of government, the mayor, supposed to be the chief executive, has little to say about finances, Dr. Ray explained, as this task is left to the auditor.

Even the post of finance commissioner is seldom properly named, Dr. Ray continued, since this is all that is left after the other commissioners have selected their departments, and the "last man picks the last plum."

Collective purchasing or central buying, which results in a huge saving, is possible with a city manager. A personnel department is set up and more efficient help can be employed. Government planning is a part of a city manager's duties, Dr. Ray continued, as he outlined a few of the merits of the plan. In answer to questions, he told his audience there are about 900 cities now employing city managers. Virginia has 20, Pennsylvania 26 and Maryland none, he said. The city council, which is elected by the people, can hire or fire the manager, but it is seldom that a manager is fired, because "these fellows have a good record for doing good jobs."

Dr. Ray advised against hiring an engineer as city manager. "Too many engineers are becoming city managers, but men with broad business experience, trained in this field are the most acceptable and successful."

Attacks Collection System

Referring to some of the "evils of the commission form of government", Dr. Ray said, here in Cumberland taxes are collected on a percentage basis. "Why, this method went out with Pontius Pilat," he exclaimed, "and is the most costly method of collecting taxes and best way to waste tax money ever conceived."

The so-called merit system in Cumberland is about the worst that can be found anywhere, Dr. Ray said. It is worse than none at all and political appointments with political turnover is not inferior, he asserted.

Greater Cooperation

Greater cooperation between city and county government is possible and desirable, Dr. Ray concluded. He urged that a plan, including some method of employing trained and experienced personnel, such as could be developed under a personnel director, will provide better services and better government.

The county and city could mutually benefit and save money by a little study in this direction, he proposed. "Municipal governments are usually jealous of each other and this jealousy leads to waste and poor government," he said.

Under a city management plan, a full-time man would be available to study these and other problems, and work out many answers which would make for better government. Yet the people would still have the right to elect their mayor and council or other representatives, and to amend their charter, he explained.

Dr. Ray was asked a number of questions by Jaycees following the address, and then the guests and charter committee members retired to another room where a round-table discussion with Dr. Ray continued for more than an hour, during which time the Jaycees held their regular business meeting.

John M. Robb, president of the Jaycees presided at the dinner meeting and guests were introduced by David Kauffman, chairman of the governmental affairs committee.

Charter committee members present included Frank A. Wolfhope, Isaac Hirsch, Thomas L. Richards, Earle L. Bracey, Jean N. Bourckle, and Mrs. Emma M. Everstine. O. J. Hale and W. Earle Cobey, the other two members were not present due to other engagements.

Local Barber

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relatives in Petersburg, when Phillips disappeared, told authorities that after she found the note upon her return Monday she checked with several relatives of her husband, and then called the Hagerstown physician.

The physician, police said, declared that he had not told Phillips he was suffering from such a disease, nor did he say that the veteran soldier was afflicted with any illness.

Lt. Lilya said Phillips worked Saturday, although his employer informed authorities that he appeared "upset". About midnight Saturday Phillips was seen by a waitress in a Virginia Avenue restaurant, where he purchased two bottles of soda.

The missing man's clothing had been removed from the apartment, Monday, Mrs. Phillips told police, but his employer said he would have been short of money because he had only worked three days last week and drew a small pay.

Wearing Army Jacket

Lt. Lylia termed the barber's disappearance strange and explained that according to information funished by the wife, Phillips has never left home before and to her knowledge would have no reason for such action now. She told police they had no domestic difficulties.

Authorities said the waitress told them Phillips was wearing an Eisenhower army jacket, a pair of dark pants but no hat when he was in the restaurant. A slender man, he is 5 feet, 10 inches tall, weighs 140 pounds and has a dark complexion, according to police.

Even if Phillips had been planning to enter a sanatorium for treatment, Lt. Lylia said, he would have to make arrangements either through his physician or the Veteran's Administration. However, a check of these places disclosed no such arrangements, according to Lt. Lylia.

Marriage Licenses

Lee Ernest Rephann, Jr., Eckhart, and Betty Marie Jeffrey, Frostburg.

George Raymond Schupfer, 708 Columbia Avenue, and Phyllis Jean Jones, 409 Maryland Avenue.

Harold William Moore, 521 Rose Hill Avenue, and Shirley Lee Lindsay, 523 Henderson Blvd.

Isley Tressler, Jr., 428 Greene Street, and Doris Levarne Clay, 435 Pennsylvania Avenue.

Deceased Fireman Praised By Chief

A Cumberland native, who died while fighting a fire in Washington, D. C., December 30, received high praise from the department that he belonged to, when the Fire Chief wrote the man's family a letter of sympathy.

The chief said of Leon M. Nevitt, 26, that he was a man who did not know fear, and added "we have lost a valued courageous and respected fireman."

Nevitt was overcome by smoke and gas in a burning building on 711 G Street, Northwest. He was one of the first firemen to enter the building and continued to fight the fire although his mask was inadequate to combat the oily black smoke, firemen said.

The investigation board in Nevitt's death reported he was trapped in a ground-floor workroom at the rear of the store when a fire roared up the cellar steps, separating him from other firemen.

Nevitt was a nephew of Mrs. Paul Marriot, 974 Bedford Street, this city and a frequent visitor to Cumberland. He was born here while his father was employed on the Cumberland Division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

Age Limit Placed On State Loggers

An order establishing 18 years as the minimum age for occupation in the logging of pulpwood under the Fair Labor Standards Act has been released by Joseph F. DiDomenico, state commissioner of Labor and Industry.

The United States Department of Labor order becomes effective February 2. It provides that all occupations in logging and all occupations in sawmills, lath mills, shingle mills or cooperage stock mills are subject to the 18-year age minimum.

Occupations excepted, in which it is permissible to employ 16 and 17 year olds, are limited to a few which can be carried on away from the sawmill proper and away from places where felling, bucking, skidding, yarding and loading occupations are being performed.

The logging operations were included among those subject to the 18-year requirement, because they were found to be particularly hazardous to minors.

Employers are advised to obtain age certificates for all minors contending that they are 18 or 19 years of age before employing them in any of the nonexempt occupations.

These age certificates may be obtained in Maryland through the Department of Labor and Industry, 400 St. Paul Place, Baltimore.

Eight Area Men Begin Marine Corps Training

Eight men who enlisted in the Marine Corps at the local recruiting station in December have begun recruit training at the Parris Island, S. C., recruit depot, T. Sgt. Vernon Debnam, Marine recruiter, announced yesterday. They are:

William Paul Wolfington, Jr., 18, son of Mrs. Edith Wolfington, 213 Oak Street. He is a well known lightweight boxer of the St. Mary's Athletic Club.

William Cleveland Mullenax, 19, son of Mrs. Edith G. Mulenax, 223 Oak Street; Leroy Joseph Campbell, 19, son of Mrs. Mary Campbell, 215 Oak Street; Baxter James Swick, 20, 121 North Water Street, Keyser, a former army veteran.

Stanley D. Barnes, 17, son of Mrs. Evelyn Barnes, Berkeley Springs, W. Va.; Thomas R. Waugh, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manus Waugh; John Clark Willson, III, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark Willson, II, Hagerstown; Charles Richard Wise, 17, son of Mrs. Fannie Wise, Berkeley Springs.

Hawthorne Daniel

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Born in Nebraska, Daniel attended the United States Naval Academy, Columbia and New York Universities. He served both in the Navy and the Army during the first World War. In World War II he visited almost every theater of action as a war correspondent, and flew around the world in 1945.

Daniel began his long series of books immediately after World War I and later became curator of printing and publishing at the American Museum of Natural History in New York.

Robert Little Ebert, a director of the local Dinner Club, will introduce the speaker, Thomas Lohr Richards, president, will preside.

Three Join Navy

Three local veterans have enlisted in the Cumberland Organized Naval Reserve Division, Lt. Comdr. Walter N. Hedrick, organizing officer, announced yesterday.

Enlistees are Arthur E. Dodrill, Jr., 17 West First Street; Joseph Franklin Screen, Jr., 107 Columbia Street, and M. Kuhns, 109 Frederick Street.

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Flintstone High Gets New Teacher

Edward L. Bollinger, 22, Erie, Pa., has been appointed as a mathematics instructor at Flintstone High School to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of William Morgan, Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Charles L. Kopp announced yesterday.

Bollinger is a graduate of State Teachers College, Bloomsburg, Pa., and holds a Bachelor of Science Degree from that institution. He was graduated in 1947 after having his education interrupted while serving in the United States Naval Air Force as a student pilot.

Morgan who was assigned to Flintstone at the beginning of the school year, submitted his resignation recently and Board of Education officials said he plans to go into business with his father in Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Montgomery Heads Local Guard Unit

Kenneth Montgomery was elected commander of Algonquin Post No. 2, Legion of the Guardsmen, Tuesday night at the Post Home, 142 North Centre Street.

Other officers chosen are Peter C. McFarland, senior vice commander; Edward Malloy, junior vice commander; Austin Ward, quartermaster; C. H. Kunes, adjutant; H. Ritchey, chaplain; and trustees, Clifford Goodfellow, C. Crowe, J. F. Rennie, Lester, Bollinger and Charles Gilford.

The Post was informed by National Aide De Camp Robert Herstine that the bill to grant a charter to the National Legion of Guardsmen has been referred to the Judiciary committee in the House of Representatives.

The Post voted to sponsor a junior softball team in the City League. A captain for a rifle team will be chosen at the next meeting.

It was announced that meeting nights have been changed to the first and second Tuesdays of each month.

Lumbermen Seek Higher Prices For Mine Timbers

FARMINGTON, Pa., Jan. 7 (AP) — The Tri-State Lumbermen's Association, rejecting demands of 11,000 striking timbermen for higher wages, sought in turn today higher prices for their mine timbers.

A six-man committee will contact coal operators to determine if an increase can be obtained. Association spokesmen declare any raise for the strikers who ask 28 per cent more, is contingent upon a boost in the cost of mine props.

The striking timbermen, in Southwestern Pennsylvania, Northern West Virginia and two Maryland counties, now receive an average of 78½ cents an hour. A spokesman for the men, members of the United Construction Workers, a branch of the United Mine Workers, said:

"We can't live on that."

Four Building Permits Granted

A permit to excavate and construct a concrete block foundation under a house at 231 Oak Street at a cost estimated at $600 has been issued at the city engineer's office to Raymond Gilarmo.

Robert L. Roach, Sr., 1009 Michigan Avenue, obtained a permit to remodel a garage on Lot 102 Michigan Avenue into a residence of three rooms and bath. Cost is estimated at $300.

Mrs. Hazel Smith, 1018 Virginia Avenue, secured a permit to erect a one-story open porch, six by twelve feet, at 1115 Virginia Avenue. Cost is estimated at $110.

Mrs. J. P. Barry obtained a permit to build a second-floor porch, five and one-half by twelve feet, at 9 Ridgeway Terrace. Cost is estimated at $350.

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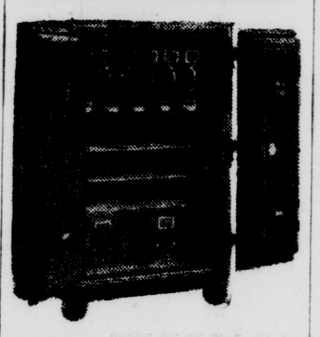
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Guardsmen Name State Officers

Officers for the State Department of the Legion of Guardsmen were elected and installed at a special meeting conducted by National Aide de Camp Robert Herstine.

J. William Beck, Westernport, was chosen state president. Other officers are J. N. Guilford, Cumberland, senior vice commander; Paul Garland, Hagerstown, junior vice commander.

W. J. Hart, Cumberland, was named quartermaster; J. V. Gafney, this city, adjutant; J. M. Holland, Crisfield, judge advocate; George Weatherholdtz, Mt. Savage, chaplain, and trustees, Thomas F. Conlon, Sr. this city; W. Caskey, Hagerstown and E. H. Symona, this city.

The officers will serve until June when a state convention will be held. Plans are now being made to hold the meeting here.

B. And O. Veterans Head To Come Here

Plans for a covered dish supper to be held on Wednesday, March 3, were made last night at a meeting of the B. and O. Veterans and Auxiliary at the B. and O. YMCA.

Roy E. Collins, Staten Island, N. Y., grand president of the B. and O. Veterans, will be guest of honor. The event was originally scheduled for next month but was postponed until March so that Collins could attend.

A 1948 membership campaign was initiated last night, with the announcement that the members of both the Veterans and the Auxiliary bringing in the most new members during the year will receive prizes.

Brief talks were given by City Commissioner Myers G. Light, past president; William E. Freeland, immediate past president, and H. W. Smith, Martinsburg, W. Va., a new member.

Charles E. Hardy presided for the men's organization and Mrs. George Wenrich presided for the Auxiliary at the joint meeting.

WIA No. 52 Plans Dinner Tonight

Women's International Auxiliary No. 52 of the International Typographical Union will be entertained by Mrs. Mary Luteman at a New Year's party to be held tonight at 6:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Laura Boyer, 210 Central Avenue.

The holiday theme will be carried out in the favors. Games will be played and prizes awarded.

The world's deserts cover approximately 5,000,000 square miles.

Driver Forfeits $101 On License Charge

Gene Palmer Hill, this city, charged with operating an automobile on a revoked license yesterday forfeited $101.45 bond when he failed to appear in Trial Magistrates Court to stand trial.

Hill, an employe of the Dusic Produce Company here, was arrested on Frederick Street by Trooper William F. Baker. Michael Anthony Dusic, 441 North Mechanic Street, owner of the concern, forfeited $2.45 for permitting an unauthorized person to drive a vehicle.

Thomas R. Neat, Route 5, was fined $50.75 after he pleaded guilty to charges of having a fictitious chauffeur's license in his possession when taken into custody December 17 at Cresaptown by Trooper Thomas G. Barton.

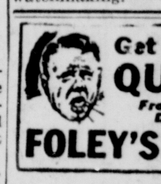
Geraldine Waugaman, 33 South Liberty Street, paid a fine of $3.45 on a charge of passing another vehicle on a curve in the Narrows on December 21. She was arrested by Trooper William O. McElfish.

Watchmaker Students Receive Certificates

Six student watchmakers enrolled at Morgan's Vocational School, Ridgeley, W. Va., were awarded certificates as junior watchmakers by the examining board of the Horological Institute of America, Washington.

Those certified are Virgil Creek and Millard H. Creek Route 2, this city; Joseph Conte, War, W. Va., Herman Phelps, Thomas W. Va.; and Jack Houck, Mullens, W. Va.

Certification is awarded for proficiency in repairing, cleaning and adjusting a disassembled pocket watch sent here from the Institute and also on the basis of a written examination on the theory of watchmaking.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Grand Jury Tells Police To Enforce Gaming Laws

Commissioners Urged To Review Reports

The Grand Jury instructed heads of various police departments in Allegany County to enforce the gaming laws and recommended that the County Commissioners review several past reports of grand juries containing recommendations pertaining to the Court House, according to the report submitted at the opening of Circuit Court yesterday morning.

After convening Monday, the Grand Jury for the January term of court examined 60 witnesses and returned 11 indictments, on the basis of the report submitted by James W. Bishop, foreman.

The report points out, "We had before our body the sheriff for Allegany County; the commissioner of Police and Fire for the City of Cumberland, William Keegan; and Police Department heads and many of the officers of the City of Cumberland and of Frostburg, Westernport, Barton, Lonaconing, Luke, Midland and Mt. Savage, and a number of constables. They reported to our body that there were no violations of the laws existing in Allegany County now or since the last session of the Grand Jury that have not been followed by investigations and prosecutions. Our body instructed the heads of the Police Departments, as well as a number of officers who came before it, that violations of the gaming law in Allegany County will not be tolerated and that they should be constantly vigilant to see that these laws were not violated."

Relating to the Court House, the report stated: "The Grand Jury made an inspection of the Allegany County Court House and we recommended that the Board of County Commissioners review several past reports of grand juries, which contain many recommendations pertaining to the Court House, as, upon inspection of the Court House by this Grand Jury, we find that such recommendations have been totally ignored. We repeat the recommendation of previous grand juries that the interior decorating in the Circuit Court room be reconditioned and that a more adequate lighting system be installed, and that repairs to the roof of the Court House be made as quickly as possible."

The report also points out that a committee from the Grand Jury inspected the Allegany County Home and found the kitchen and dining room to be "kept in a neat, orderly and sanitary manner and all parts of the home are neat and orderly."

Crowded conditions there are cited, but the report says no relief can be given until the new building is completed. It was recommended that "some fire extinguishers be placed at various points throughout the building."

Inspection of Sylvan Retreat, the County Hospital for the Insane, was made by a Grand Jury committee which found buildings there to be kept in a "sanitary and cleanly manner."

This institution also is crowded, the report says, adding that "this condition will be relieved upon completion of the building now in the course of construction." It is pointed out that the "walls and ceilings in the old part of the building need repairing and repainting."

Inspection of the County Jail showed it to be in a "satisfactory condition" and to be "clean and sanitary," according to the report.

It adds that "a committee from our body examined the records of the County Treasurer's office and, in our opinion, the books are well kept in accordance with modern accounting methods." The report also says a "superficial inspection" was made of the books and that the jurors "understand an audit is made periodically by competent and proper authorities."

One of the mine inspectors for the county appeared before the Grand Jury and reported no serious violations, the report says. It also states that Reid C. Hoenicka, Cumberland fire chief, reported no violations of the laws pertaining to his department and said regular inspections are made throughout the city and everything humanly possible done to prevent fires.

The Grand Jury also found "that Morgan C. Harris, state's attorney; Terrence J. Boyle, county investigator; and Harry Holsinger, acting county investigator, had all cases prepared for presentation to the Grand Jury in an effective manner in matters pertaining to criminal offenses and all other cases were handled promptly and efficiently."

The report also commends Clerk of Court Robert Jackson and court attaches for services rendered to the Grand Jury.

Court Reverses

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Board on Monday, January 12, 1948, until the termination of said suspension.

Attorneys Make Pleas

In presenting the two appeals to the Court yesterday morning, Attorneys William A. Gunter and D. Lindley Sloan represented Molinari and the Cadillac, while Edward J. Ryan was attorney for William Ware.

Gunter and Sloan argued the technicality of the law governing license suspensions of corporations and told the Court the law makes specific mention that two convictions of a corporation's agents are necessary before a license can be suspended.

It also argued that the Cadillac is a corporation with an investment of $85,000 and that 15 persons are employed. To take the license away for 30 days would cause 15 local persons to be without earnings for that period, and would also wreck the business, the attorneys declared. Molinari previously was fined $200 in Circuit and Police Court for selling intoxicants after hours.

Ryan appealed to the Court to consider the 90-day suspension of Ware's license as excessive, in view of a $300 fine paid for the violation and other sentences imposed. Ryan told the Court his client has an investment of $35,000 in the establishment, $10,000 of which has been recently expended for improvements. Ware was charged with selling liquor to minors and permitting minors to loiter in the premises.

DEATHS

STRAW INFANT DIES

The six-day-old son of John and Anna Rank Straw, 213 Davidson Street, died yesterday morning in Allegany Hospital.

Surviving, besides his parents, are two brothers, John Straw, Jr., and Ronald Straw, both at home.

The body is at the Kight Funeral Home. Interment will be in Hillcrest Burial Park this afternoon.

MR. WAGNER RITES

A funeral service for Lawson Nathan Wagner, 62, retired real estate agent, who died Tuesday at his home, 1116 Bedford Street, will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the George Funeral Home.

Rev. B. Ralph Mark, pastor of Central Methodist Church, will officiate. The body will be placed in Rose Hill Mausoleum.

MISS CORA TWIGG RITES

A funeral service for Miss Cora Mae Twigg, 70, who died Monday at her home, 125 Springdale Street, will be conducted this morning at 10 o'clock in the Stein Funeral Home.

Rev. C. N. Hutchinson, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene will officiate and burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be W. P. Crabtree, C. P. Henry, Samuel Shaffer and Donald McKenzie, members of the official board of the Church of the Nazarene, and Glenn Watson and Earl Warner.

MRS. ELIZABETH FROST

MIDLAND—Mrs. Elizabeth Rachel Sigler Frost, 46, widow of William Frost, died yesterday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock at her home, Railroad Street, Midland, after an illness of six weeks.

She was a native of Moscow, a daughter of the late Charles and Edith Poland Sigler. Her husband, a farm hand at the Llewellyn Brothers Dairy, died six years ago.

Surviving are seven children, James, Eugene, Lucille and Edith Frost, all at home; Mrs. Marie Beaman, and Aaron Frost, both of Barton, and Andrew Frost, St. Paul, N. C.

Four brothers, Joseph, Midland; John, National; Adam, Lonaconing, and Gilbert Sigler, Miami, Fla.; two sisters, Mrs. Eva Lease, Midland, and Mrs. Lida Smith, Mt. Savage, and three grandchildren also survive.

FATHER BERNARDINE RITES

A funeral service was held yesterday morning in SS. Peter and Paul Catholic Church for Rev. Bernardine Kuhlman, O. F. M., Cap., who died last Saturday morning in a Canton, Ohio, hospital.

The Very Rev. Claude Vogel, O. F. M., Cap., was celebrant of the solemn requiem high mass and Father Baniface Wakeman, O. F. M., Cap., was deacon. Father Mel Heintl, O. F. M., Cap., was subdeacon and Father Maynard Appledorn, O. F. M., Cap., delivered the sermon.

Pallbearers were Joseph Kuhlman, George Kuhlman, Bernard Kuhlman, James Kuhlman, William Kuhlman and William Lewis Logsdon.

Interment was in SS Peter and Paul Cemetery.

J. W. WALMSLEY

J. W. Walmsley, about 72, Altona, Ill., formerly of this city, died last night at the home of his daughters, Mrs. Isabel Swanson and Mrs. Alice Effig, Washington, where he had been visiting.

Mr. Walmsley, a retired B. and O. engineer, was well known throughout this section.

Also surviving are his widow, Mrs. Verna (Miller) Walmsley, and another daughter, Mrs. Esther Johnson, Altona.

MRS. VIRGINIA BEVACQUA

Mrs. John B. Turano, 201 Baltimore Street, received word this week of the death of her mother, Mrs. Virginia Beyacqua, 69, in Cosenza, Italy.

Mrs. Bevacqua, a native of Cosenza, died December 12, 1947, at her home after a brief illness.

Also surviving are two daughters, one at home and the other a nun in Reggio Calabria, and two sons, one living in Cosenza and the other a priest in the Order of Friars Minor, Capuchin, in Italy.

Six grandchildren, including Robert, Eugene and Violet Turano, this city and Mrs. Lucille Cinquegrani, Baltimore, and two great grandchildren also survive.

MISS ELIZABETH STALLINGS

Miss M. Elizabeth Stallings, 20 Greene Street, died yesterday morning at the Christian Science Benevolent Association in Boston.

She was a sister of Robert L. Stallings, 517 Avirett Avenue, and Mrs. David A Robb, the Dingle.

A funeral service will be held here later this week.

JOSEPH KINSER RITES

A funeral service for Joseph Edward Kinser, 43, 310 Maryland Avenue, who died Monday in a Baltimore Hospital, will be conducted today at 2 p. m. in the Stein Funeral Home.

Rev. W. Randolph Keefe, pastor of Grace Baptist Church, will officiate and burial will be in Hillcrest Cemetery. Pallbearers will be members of Nest No. 90, Order of Owls, which will conduct a service at the grave.

News Briefs

Cumberland Chapter No. 914, Women of the Moose, will hold a regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the Moose home, corner of Beall and Smallwood Streets. Mrs. Shirley Short, senior regent will preside.

Nomination and election of officers of Cumberland Council, Navy League of the United States, will take place at 8 o'clock tonight at the Council home, 148 North Centre Street. Refreshments will be served.

Recently elected officers of William C. Kirby Post No. 70, 29th Division Association, will be installed at a post meeting at 8 o'clock tonight at the State Armory. Robert C. Matlick will become commander of the organization. Movies will be shown.

The Greater Cumberland Air Force Association will meet Thursday at 7:45 p. m. in the Veterans of Foreign Wars home. Prospective members are invited to attend the meeting. Moving pictures will be shown.

A bill of complaint was filed in Circuit Court yesterday by Herman Lee Miller, vs. Elsie M. Miller.

Charter Revision

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pect to stay." He did suggest however, that careful consideration be given a city management plan.

City Management Explained

Citing advantages of employing a city manager, Dr. Ray stated, "in a city manager, you employ a full-time, full-fledged experienced executive. Such a man operates a city as a business should be operated, and it must be remembered," Dr. Ray suggested, "that government is big business and running a city is no small job."

Such a man would supervise finances and aid in setting up budgets. Under a commission form of government, the mayor, supposed to be the chief executive, has little to say about finances, Dr. Ray explained, as this task is left to the auditor.

Even the post of finance commissioner is seldom properly named, Dr. Ray continued, since this is all that is left after the other commissioners have selected their departments, and the "last man picks the last plum."

Collective purchasing or central buying, which results in a huge saving, is possible with a city manager. A personnel department is set up and more efficient help can be employed. Government planning is a part of a city manager's duties, Dr. Ray continued, as he outlined a few of the merits of the plan. In answer to questions, he told his audience there are about 900 cities now employing city managers. Virginia has 20, Pennsylvania 26 and Maryland none, he said. The city council, which is elected by the people, can hire or fire the manager, but it is seldom that a manager is fired, because "these fellows have a good record for doing good jobs."

Dr. Ray advised against hiring an engineer as city manager. "Too many engineers are becoming city managers, but men with broad business experience, trained in this field are the most acceptable and successful."

Attacks Collection System

Referring to some of the "evils of the commission form of government", Dr. Ray said, here in Cumberland taxes are collected on a percentage basis. "Why, this method went out with Pontius Pilat," he exclaimed, "and is the most costly method of collecting taxes and best way to waste tax money ever conceived."

The so-called merit system in Cumberland is about the worst that can be found anywhere, Dr. Ray said. It is worse than none at all and political appointments with political turnover is not inferior, he asserted.

Greater Cooperation

Greater cooperation between city and county government is possible and desirable, Dr. Ray concluded. He urged that a plan, including some method of employing trained and experienced personnel, such as could be developed under a personnel director, will provide better services and better government.

The county and city could mutually benefit and save money by a little study in this direction, he proposed. "Municipal governments are usually jealous of each other and this jealousy leads to waste and poor government," he said.

Under a city management plan, a full-time man would be available to study these and other problems, and work out many answers which would make for better government. Yet the people would still have the right to elect their mayor and council or other representatives, and to amend their charter, he explained.

Dr. Ray was asked a number of questions by Jaycees following the address, and then the guests and charter committee members retired to another room where a roundtable discussion with Dr. Ray continued for more than an hour, during which time the Jaycees held their regular business meeting.

John M. Robb, president of the Jaycees presided at the dinner meeting and guests were introduced by David Kauffman, chairman of the governmental affairs committee.

Charter committee members present included Frank A. Wolfhope, Isaac Hirsch, Thomas L. Richards, Earle L. Bracey, Jean N. Bourckle, and Mrs. Emma M. Everstine. O. J. Hale and W. Earle Cobey, the other two members were not present due to other engagements.

Local Barber

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relatives in Petersburg, when Phillips disappeared, told authorities that after she found the note upon her return Monday she checked with several relatives of her husband, and then called the Hagerstown physician.

The physician, police said, declared that he had not told Phillips he was suffering from such a disease, nor did he say that the veteran soldier was afflicted with any illness.

Lt. Lilya said Phillips worked Saturday, although his employer informed authorities that he appeared "upset". About midnight Saturday Phillips was seen by a waitress in a Virginia Avenue restaurant, where he purchased two bottles of soda.

The missing man's clothing had been removed from the apartment, Monday, Mrs. Phillips told police, but his employer said he would have been short of money because he had only worked three days last week and drew a small pay.

Wearing Army Jacket

Lt. Lylia termed the barber's disappearance strange and explained that according to information funished by the wife, Phillips has never left home before and to her knowledge would have no reason for such action now. She told police they had no domestic difficulties.

Authorities said the waitress told them Phillips was wearing an Eisenhower army jacket, a pair of dark pants but no hat when he was in the restaurant. A slender man, he is 5 feet, 10 inches tall, weighs 140 pounds and has a dark complexion, according to police.

Even if Phillips had been planning to enter a sanatorium for treatment, Lt. Lylia said, he would have to make arrangements either through his physician or the Veteran's Administration. However, a check of these places disclosed no such arrangements, according to Lt. Lylia.

Marriage Licenses

Lee Ernest Rephann, Jr., Eckhart, and Betty Marie Jeffrey, Frostburg.

George Raymond Schupfer, 708 Columbia Avenue, and Phyllis Jean Jones, 409 Maryland Avenue.

Harold William Moore, 521 Rose Hill Avenue, and Shirley Lee Lindsay, 523 Henderson Blvd.

Casey Tressler, Jr., 428 Greene Street, and Doris Levarne Clay, 435 Pennsylvania Avenue.

Deceased Fireman Praised By Chief

A Cumberland native, who died while fighting a fire in Washington, D. C., December 30, received high praise from the department that he belonged to, when the Fire Chief wrote the man's family a letter of sympathy.

The chief said of Leon M. Nevitt, 26, that he was a man who did not know fear, and added "we have lost a valued courageous and respected fireman."

Nevitt was overcome by smoke and gas in a burning building on 711 G Street, Northwest. He was one of the first firemen to enter the building and continued to fight the fire although his mask was inadequate to combat the oily black smoke, firemen said.

The investigation board in Nevitt's death reported he was trapped in a ground-floor workroom at the rear of the store when a fire roared up the cellar steps, separating him from other firemen.

Nevitt was a nephew of Mrs. Paul Marriot, 974 Bedford Street, this city and a frequent visitor to Cumberland. He was born here while his father was employed on the Cumberland Division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

Age Limit Placed On State Loggers

An order establishing 18 years as the minimum age for occupation in the logging of pulpwood under the Fair Labor Standards Act has been released by Joseph F. DiDomenico, state commissioner of Labor and Industry.

The United States Department of Labor order becomes effective February 2. It provides that all occupations in logging and all occupations in sawmills, lath mills, shingle mills or cooperage stock mills are subject to the 18-year age minimum.

Occupations excepted, in which it is permissible to employ 16 and 17 year olds, are limited to a few which can be carried on away from the sawmill proper and away from places where felling, bucking, skidding, yarding and loading occupations are being performed.

The logging operations were included among those subject to the 18-year requirement, because they were found to be particularly hazardous to minors.

Employers are advised to obtain age certificates for all minors contending that they are 18 or 19 years of age before employing them in any of the nonexempt occupations.

These age certificates may be obtained in Maryland through the Department of Labor and Industry, 400 St. Paul Place, Baltimore.

Eight Area Men Begin Marine Corps Training

Eight men who enlisted in the Marine Corps at the local recruiting station in December have begun recruit training at the Parris Island, S. C., recruit depot, T. Sgt. Vernon Debnam, Marine recruiter, announced yesterday. They are:

William Paul Wolfington, Jr., 18, son of Mrs. Elith Wolfington, 213 Oak Street. He is a well known lightweight boxer of the St. Mary's Athletic Club.

William Cleveland Mullenax, 19, son of Mrs. Edith G. Mulenax, 223 Oak Street; Leroy Joseph Campbell, 19, son of Mrs. Mary Campbell, 215 Oak Street; Baxter James Swick, 20, 121 North Water Street, Keyser, a former army veteran.

Stanley D. Barnes, 17, son of Mrs. Evelyn Barnes, Berkeley Springs, W. Va.; Thomas R. Waugh, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manus Waugh; John Clark Willson, III, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark Willson, II, Hagerstown; Charles Richard Wise, 17, son of Mrs. Fannie Wise, Berkeley Springs.

Hawthorne Daniel

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Born in Nebraska, Daniel attended the United States Naval Academy, Columbia and New York Universities. He served both in the Navy and the Army during the first World War. In World War II he visited almost every theater of action as a war correspondent, and flew around the world in 1945.

Daniel began his long series of books immediately after World War I and later became curator of printing and publishing at the American Museum of Natural History in New York.

Robert Little Ebert, a director of the local Dinner Club, will introduce the speaker. Thomas Lohr Richards, president, will preside.

Three Join Navy

Three local veterans have enlisted in the Cumberland Organized Naval Reserve Division, Lt. Comdr. Walter N. Hedrick, organizing officer, announced yesterday.

Enlistees are Arthur E. Dodrill, Jr., 17 West First Street; Joseph Franklin Screen, Jr., 107 Columbia Street, and M. Kuhns, 109 Frederick Street.

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Flintstone High Gets New Teacher

Edward L. Bollinger, 22, Erie, Pa., has been appointed as a mathematics instructor at Flintstone High School to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of William Morgan, Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Charles L. Kopp announced yesterday.

Bollinger is a graduate of State Teachers College, Bloomsburg, Pa., and holds a Bachelor of Science Degree from that institution. He was graduated in 1947 after having his education interrupted while serving in the United States Naval Air Force as a student pilot.

Morgan who was assigned to Flintstone at the beginning of the school year, submitted his resignation recently and Board of Education officials said he plans to go into business with his father in Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Montgomery Heads Local Guard Unit

Kenneth Montgomery was elected commander of Algonquin Post No. 2, Legion of the Guardsmen, Tuesday night at the Post Home, 142 North Centre Street.

Other officers chosen are Peter C. McFarland, senior vice commander; Edward Malloy, junior vice commander; Austin Ward, quartermaster; C. H. Kunes, adjutant; H. Ritchey, chaplain; and trustees, Clifford Goodfellow, C. Crowe, J. F. Rennie, Lester, Bollinger and Charles Gilford.

The Post was informed by National Aide De Camp Robert Herstine that the bill to grant a charter to the National Legion of Guardsmen has been referred to the Judiciary committee in the House of Representatives.

The Post voted to sponsor a junior softball team in the City League. A captain for a rifle team will be chosen at the next meeting.

It was announced that meeting nights have been changed to the first and second Tuesdays of each month.

Lumbermen Seek Higher Prices For Mine Timbers

FARMINGTON, Pa., Jan. 7 (AP) — The Tri-State Lumbermen's Association, rejecting demands of 11,000 striking timbermen for higher wages, sought in turn today higher prices for their mine timbers.

A six-man committee will contact coal operators to determine if an increase can be obtained. Association spokesmen declare any raise for the strikers who ask 28 per cent more, is contingent upon a boost in the cost of mine props.

The striking timbermen, in Southwestern Pennsylvania, Northern West Virginia and two Maryland counties, now receive an average of 78½ cents an hour. A spokesman for the men, members of the United Construction Workers, a branch of the United Mine Workers, said:

"We can't live on that."

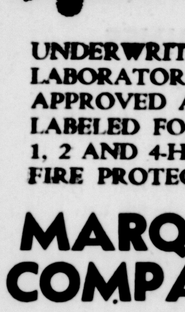
Four Building Permits Granted

A permit to excavate and construct a concrete block foundation under a house at 231 Oak Street at a cost estimated at $600 has been issued at the city engineer's office to Raymond Gilarmo.

Robert L. Roach, Sr., 1009 Michigan Avenue, obtained a permit to remodel a garage on Lot 102 Michigan Avenue into a residence of three rooms and bath. Cost is estimated at $300.

Mrs. Hazel Smith, 1018 Virginia Avenue, secured a permit to erect a one-story open porch, six by twelve feet, at 1115 Virginia Avenue. Cost is estimated at $110.

Mrs. J. P. Barry obtained a permit to build a second-floor porch, five and one-half by twelve feet, at 9 Ridgeway Terrace. Cost is estimated at $350.



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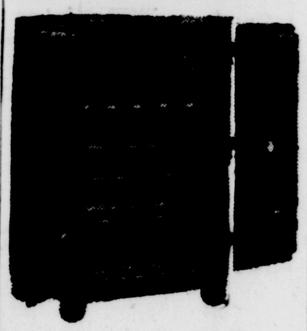

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Guardsmen Name State Officers

Officers for the State Department of the Legion of Guardsmen were elected and installed at a special meeting conducted by National Aide de Camp Robert Herstine.

J. William Beck, Westernport, was chosen state president. Other officers are J. N. Guilford, Cumberland, senior vice commander; Paul Garland, Hagerstown, junior vice commander.

W. J. Hart, Cumberland, was named quartermaster; J. V. Gafney, this city, adjutant; J. M. Holland, Crisfield, judge advocate; George Weatherholdtz, Mt. Savage, chaplain, and trustees, Thomas F. Conlon, Sr. this city; W. Caskey, Hagerstown and E. H. Symona, this city.

The officers will serve until June when a state convention will be held. Plans are now being made to hold the meeting here.

B. And O. Veterans Head To Come Here

Plans for a covered dish supper to be held on Wednesday, March 3, were made last night at a meeting of the B. and O. Veterans and Auxiliary at the B. and O. YMCA.

Roy E. Collins, Staten Island, N. Y., grand president of the B. and O. Veterans, will be guest of honor. The event was originally scheduled for next month but was postponed until March so that Collins could attend.

A 1948 membership campaign was initiated last night, with the announcement that the members of both the Veterans and the Auxiliary bringing in the most new members during the year will receive prizes.

Brief talks were given by City Commissioner Myers G. Light, past president; William E. Freeland, immediate past president, and H. W. Smith, Martinsburg, W. Va., a new member.

Charles E. Hardy presided for the men's organization and Mrs. George Wenrich presided for the Auxiliary at the joint meeting.

WIA No. 52 Plans Dinner Tonight

Women's International Auxiliary No. 52 of the International Typographical Union will be entertained by Mrs. Mary Luteman at a New Year's party to be held tonight at 6:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Laura Boyer, 210 Central Avenue.

The holiday theme will be carried out in the favors. Games will be played and prizes awarded.

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Driver Forfeits $101 On License Charge

Gene Palmer Hill, this city, charged with operating an automobile on a revoked license yesterday forfeited $101.45 bond when he failed to appear in Trial Magistrates Court to stand trial.

Hill, an employe of the Dusic Produce Company here, was arrested on Frederick Street by Trooper William F. Baker. Michael Anthony Dusic, 441 North Mechanic Street, owner of the concern, forfeited $2.45 for permitting an unauthorized person to drive a vehicle.

Thomas R. Neat, Route 5, was fined $50.75 after he pleaded guilty to charges of having a fictitious chauffeur's license in his possession when taken into custody December 17 at Cresaptown by Trooper Thomas G. Barton.

Geraldine Waugaman, 33 South Liberty Street, paid a fine of $3.45 on a charge of passing another vehicle on a curve in the Narrows on December 21. She was arrested by Trooper William O. McElfish.

Watchmaker Students Receive Certificates

Six student watchmakers enrolled at Morgan's Vocational School, Ridgeley, W. Va., were awarded certificates as junior watchmakers by the examining board of the Horological Institute of America, Washington.

Those certified are Virgil Creek and Millard H. Creek Route 2, this city; Joseph Conte, War, W. Va., Herman Phelps, Thomas W. Va.; and Jack Houck, Mullens, W. Va.

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Piedmont Trips Sentinels; Ridgeley Wallops A. H. S.

Whitney Martin's SPORTS TRAIL

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP) — All-America Football Conference club owners, whether they realize it or not, are going in for higher education.

Their player transactions to date have been elementary, compared with the advanced course in trades and purchases and sales they will be exposed to when Branch Rickey, baseball's David Harum, really swings into action.

Seriously, the taking over of the Brooklyn football Dodger franchise by th Dodger baseball organization offers tremendous possibilities for changes in the whole pro football setup, as well as for the bolstering of Brooklyn's position in the All-America Conference.

Second Baseball Magnate

He is the second baseball magnate to enter the pro football field, Dan Topping and the New York Yankees having preceded him. It is not improbable that other baseball club owners will follow his example.

After all, the major league clubs own the parks where, except for the Pacific Coast, most of the pro football is played. If the pro footballers can make a goodly profit while paying substantial rental for the parks, the baseball operatives might reason they could just as well be taking that profit for themselves. Owning the parks, their overhead would be reduced substantially.

Rickey probably knows a good deal more about football than a lot of folks might think. If memory serves he coached the sport at Ohio Wesleyan or some such place away back when. If he should hand over the Dodger franchise to another group for operation, a move which he says is a possibility, he might take only a casual interest.

Will Jump Right In

But if he keeps it and operates it himself, it is a good bet that he will jump right into it with both feet, putting all his tremendous energy and organizing ability and general know-how into the project.

Pro football has not been what might be called a sensational success in Brooklyn at any time. We have the impression that Brooklyn is strictly a baseball stronghold. A baseball Dodger stronghold, to be exact.

Now Rickey has the chance to prove we are wrong. If he can't make it pay out, nobody can.

Naturally assembling a winning football team offers problems not encountered in baseball. Baseball clubs can take high school graduates, assign them to farm clubs and gradually build them up to major league status.

Pro football players, with rare exceptions, come out of the colleges, where they establish their reputations and if they are any good at all they are subject to the draft. The pro football clubs can't take a high school kid and spoon-feed him until he is ready. For one thing, it takes college play to develop a football player to a point where he might be considered pro material.

Agreement Due For Louis Bout

Walcott Expected To Agree To Terms

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 — (AP) — Joe Louis, his handlers and Twentieth Century Sporting Club officials continued their negotiations today over a few minor details on a contract for a title bout here next June.

The 20th announced last night that it had "practically closed" with the heavyweight champion for a title defense in June. Louis is to get 40 percent of the gate against an opponent yet unnamed, but whom the 20th expects to be Jersey Joe Walcott.

Radio, television and movie proceeds were discussed today and a 20th spokesman said that an agreement was expected to be reached tomorrow.

With the champion in hand, Sol Strauss, acting director of the fight organization in the absence of Mike Jacobs, is in a better position to dicker with Walcott.

The veteran Camden, N. J., battler, who lost a split decision to Louis last Dec. 5, has been asking for a 30 per cent cut for a return bout while Strauss has insisted on a 20 per cent limit.

Observers here believe that with Jacobs, convalescing at Miami Beach, in on the negotiations, a compromise proposition will be negotiated with Walcott.

Williams May Meet Minelli In February

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 7 (AP)—Ike Williams, world lightweight champion, and Livio Minelli, Italian welterweight from Milan, probably will sign tomorrow for a ten-round non-title bout here Feb. 9, promoter Herman Taylor said today.

"Both fighters have indicated a willingness to meet here," Taylor said, "and as soon as we clean up a few more details I expect them to sign contracts."

Leonard Estate $40,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 7—(AP)—Benny Leonard, former lightweight boxing champion, left a net estate of nearly $40,000 to his widow, Mrs. Jacqueline Leonard, a tax appraisal showed today.

Leonard, who died last April 18, left a gross estate of $44,926. Of the $39,983 remaining after deductions, $26,800 was in cash. Mrs. Leonard was the sole beneficiary.

Barbara Scott Arrives

PRAGUE, Jan. 7—(AP)—Barbara Ann Scott of Ottawa, world champion woman figure skater, arrived by plane today from Davos, Switzerland to prepare for the defense of her European figure skating crown January 13-15. She was accompanied by her mother and her coach, Sheldon Galbraith.

Final Period Rally Defeats Ft. Hill 35-28

Scarlet And White Win Streak Broken

PIEDMONT, W. Va.—A 16-point rally in the final period snapped the Fort Hill High Sentinels of Cumberland, Md., six-game winning streak as Coach "Huck" Miers Piedmont Lions came from behind to trip the all-winning Marylanders 35-28 last night on the locals' court before a crowd of approximately 400 persons. The Sentinels defeated Piedmont earlier in the season, 42 to 25.

Evers Smith and Grady sparked the final quarter rally as each dumped in three fielders for the Lions after Piedmont had trailed Fort Hill throughout most of the game.

The Sentinels, paced by Mil Dean, hopped off to a 6-4 lead at the quarter and, after Piedmont tied the count at 6-6 early in the second stanza, went on to build their margin to 16-12 at halftime. Goals by Dean and Lattimer gave the visiting Scarlet and White their margin after Piedmont had knotted the count for the second time at 12-12.

Both teams scored seven markers in the third canto and the Sentinels maintained their slim four-point advantage. However as the final setto began, Grady hit three consecutive shots from the outside to pull the Lions back into the game. Then E. Smith took over the scoring chores for the winners and dumped in three quick layups to put the game on ice for the locals.

The biggest margin enjoyed by either team was five points by the Sentinels until Piedmont came from behind to build up their winning margin.

Dean with nine markers and Charley Lattimer with eight were the big guns for the visitors while E. Smith netted six fielders and one of three foul tosses to cop high scoring honors for the game with 13 points, followed by his teammate Grady who talled eight. Piedmont will play host to Charles Town High Friday in the Lions' next encounter. The lineups:

Fort Hill	G	F	Pts.
Dean, f	4	1-5	9
Moler, f	1	0-1	2
Cage, c	0	3-4	3
Lattimer, g	3	2-5	8
Manges, g	2	0-0	4
Alderton, sub	1	0-4	2
Burke, sub	0	0-0	0
Totals	11	6-19	28

Piedmont	G	F	Pts.
Ward, f	3	3-4	9
W. Smith, f	1	2-3	4
Steidings, c	0	1-3	1
E. Smith, g	6	1-3	13
Grady, g	4	0-0	8
Mobilio, sub	0	0-1	0
Totals	14	7-14	35

Score by periods:

FORT HILL	6	10	7	5—28
PIEDMONT	4	8	7	16—35

Referees—Pence and Clark.

Racing Dates Are Being Sought By New Jersey Clubs

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 7 (INS)—The New Jersey Racing Commission will meet January 16 to fix the racing dates for running events at the state's three tracks at Camden, Atlantic City and Oceanport.

The commission held a four hour meeting today but failed to reach an agreement on the time of running races at the tracks.

The Atlantic City Racing Association seeks to operate from August 9 to September 25. The Garden State Racing Association, which operates a track near Camden, has applied fro the period from August 23 to October 9. It is the overlapping dates that trouble the racing commissioners as the state's racing laws provide that only one horse race meeting can be held in the state on any one day.

The Monmouth Park Jockey Club, which operates a track at Oceanport, near Long Branch, seeks permission to conduct horse racing from June 21 to August 7.

Irish May Meet Texas

HOUSTON, Tex., Jan. 7—(AP)—The Houston Chronicle said today announcement of signing of a home-and home football agreement between the University of Texas and Notre Dame can be expected "within the next few weeks."

"It looks now as if the series will open in Austin in 1949," Sports Editor Dick Freeman said.

Texas last met Notre Dame in 1934, winning a 7 to 6 tilt at South Bend.

Terra Alta Moose Wins

TERRA ALTA, W. Va., — The Terra Alta Moose, paced by Eary with 13 markers and Kelly and Thomas with eight apiece, walloped the Kingwood Legion 55-36 last night at Terra Alta.

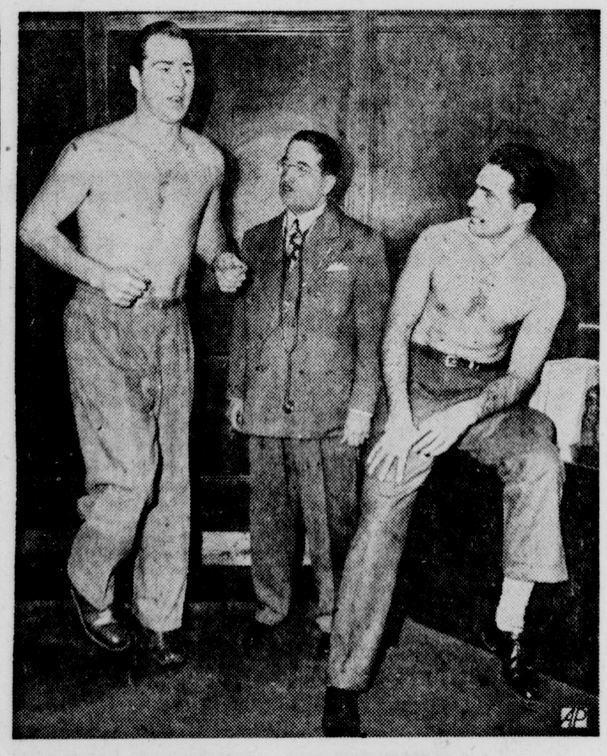
The Moose cagers hopped off to a 15-6 lead at the quarter, built it to 31-18 at halftime and 41-25 at the cloes of the third quarter, and were never in trouble.

Pollen topped the Legion scorers with 10 points.

Reds Sign Blackwell

CINCINNATI, Jan. 7—(AP)—Long, lean Ewell Blackwell, whose whip-like arm made him the best right-handed pitcher in baseball last year, today signed a contract with the Cincinnati Reds for 1948.

Terms of the contract were not announced by Warren C. Giles, president of the Reds, but it was apparent from a statement he made that the tall boy had been given a substantial boost in pay.



OLLE TAKES EXERCISE—Swedish heavyweight boxer Olle Tandberg (left) goes through a jumping exercise in the office of the New York State Boxing Commission in New York City for Dr. Vincent D. Nardiello. Joey Maxim (right), Cleveland boxer, will meet Tandberg January 9 at Madison Square Garden.

The Sportlight by GRANTLAND RICE

Golf's Feature Shows

LOS ANGELES, Cal.,—Outside of the normal and average run, there are two feature golf shows for 1948. One belongs to a young fellow by the name of Harry Lillis Crosby, sometimes known as Bing. The other is the Masters' tournament at Augusta in April.

Here are both the fun and color and money tournaments of the year—headed by Bing Crosby and Bobby Jones. This is a tough combination to beat. They carry a heavy pack of tradition in the way of class and sportsmanship. And the world today can still use more class and sportsmanship than it has shown in some time.

Also Bing and Bob have the finest golf courses in the world at hand for their winter and spring shows. Pebble Beach, Cypress Point and the Augusta National stand out, three of golf's greatest. You don't hack your way around these courses in 68's and 69's.

Bing's 1948 show which gets underway today, will be a standout in more than one respect. He has $10,000 on the line in the way of cash prizes. He has a tournament for the leading amateurs and their pro partners. He has the pick of all the world's greatest pros—Hogan, Demaret, Locke, Von Nida, Snead, Ferrier, Worsham and the rest of the pack. In addition to all this, he plays his tournament over three famous courses—Pebble Beach, Cypress Point and Del Monte in the world's greatest golfing peninsula.

Bing is the only golfer I know who can put on a $10,000 show, star in it and then give them "White Christmas" at the 19th hole. There are several millions who think he is more effective at the 19th hole than he is at the other 18 in spite of his 74's and 75's.

Golf is not Mr. Crosby's only game. He has an interest in the Pittsburg Pirates, a ball club under liberal and intelligent ownership that will soon be moving up, not overlooking one Ralph Kiner who should be the best home-run hitter of the lot this year.

Bing is a better golfer than Kiner is, but Kiner can hit more home runs. Also Bing has a slight edge at the 19th hole where Kiner is on the shy or retiring side.

The Long Pursuit Race

Rivalry in the upper crust is keener this new season than we have seen it for many years. There is the friendly American rivalry between Jimmy Demaret and Ben Hogan, two old Texas cronies. They are the best the U. S. has to offer, with Byron Nelson on the sidelines. And Lloyd Mangrum isn't far behind.

Then there is the invading rivalry of Bobby Locke from South Africa, and Norman Von Nida from Australia, who won the Vardon Trophy in England last year. Locke proved to be the best foreign golfer the U. S. had seen since the day of Vardon at his best—even better than Ted Ray who tied for our title with Vardon in 1913 and who won it in 1920 with Vardon, an old man then, tied for second.

This country knows how good a golfer Bobby Locke is. He proved that in 1947 by picking up over $24,000 in a few months, just ahead of Hogan and back of Demaret with a much longer schedule to meet.

Moving from Los Angeles to Bing Crosby's major show at Pebble Beach and Del Monte, the rivalry among these leading four contenders—Hogan, Demaret, Locke and Von Nida—picks up growing interest, with our leading champions in their pitching.

They have just added Detroit's Motor Open at $15,000 next summer. There is a good chance that a Locke, a Hogan, a Demaret or someone else who can get hot and remain hot can pick up better than $30,000 for 1948.

It will be worth taking a look at scores in the Bing Crosby tournament in the wake of the L. A. Open. There should be a parley on these two Opens.

There is another feature connected with these California golf shows. It involves Ben Hogan and Von Nida. Hogan weighs 138, Von Nida 130. The winner of the Vardon Trophy has been as low as 125 but at least the Hogan-Von Nida weights prove that a golfer doesn't have to be a giant to hit the ball 250 yards and score with his huskier challengers.

Locke and Demaret are pretty solid citizens. Neither is tall, but both are solidly built. They should weigh around 180.

Sammy Snead has the ideal physical set up, lean, lank, wiry, tall enough to give you a swing you won't forget. The return of Sam Snead would be a big boon to golf. Here is the last word in a golf swing—until he reaches the green.

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Dinner Honoring Fort Hill Champs Set For Tonight

250 To Attend Affair, Navy Coach To Speak

Fort Hill High School's football champions will be feted tonight at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

Approximately 250 persons will attend the affair arranged by the Booster Club, comprising Penn Avenue and Fort Hill alumni members and adults who are interested in the success of Fort Hill teams.

The guest speaker will be Ensign Ben Martin, freshmen football coach at the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, and former grid and track star of the Middies.

H. Clifford Spiker, co-chairman of the committee on arrangements, will open the meeting and introduce O. J. Hale, assistant managing editor of the Cumberland News, who will act as toastmaster. Short talks will be made by Charles L. Kopp, superintendent of schools; Victor D. Heisey, Fort Hill principal, John J. "Bobby" Cavanaugh, athletic director at Fort Hill and William P. Hahn, coach of the city champions and winners of nine consecutive games after dropping the opener of the season. Hahn, incidentally, was voted the coach of the year of high schools in Maryland outside of Baltimore City.

Mayor Thomas S. Post, Robert L. Bigler, assistant coach; Ray Stevenson, city's top scorer, who was unable to play against Allegany on Thanksgiving Day on account of suffering an injury in the Hagerstown game; Jimmie Manges, who hung up a city record for points after touchdown and also was placed on the all-state and all-city teams and members of the Booster Club will be called upon to make brief remarks.

The dinner is scheduled to get under way at 6:30.

A technicolor and sound moving picture entitled "U. S. Naval Academy," will be shown by Ensign Martin. The film depicts life at the academy and includes highlights of the 1946 Army-Navy football game.

Kinkead Discusses St. Louis Purchase

ST. Louis. Jan. 7 (AP)—George F. Kinkead discussed the possibility of buying the St. Louis Browns with Owner Richard C. Muckerman today but did not make an offer or say what he would be willing to pay for the club, Muckerman announced.

The bottled-gas company executive of Louisville, Ky., claiming the backing of two St. Louis millionaires whose names he refused to divulge, is the third person to express interest in purchasing the American League club in recent months.

"During his visit we discussed baseball in general but Mr. Kinkead did not make any offer or name any price," Muckerman said.

"He asked if the ball club was for sale and I told him that if he came in with an offer, I would then consider whether it was for sale."

WMI Girls' Cage League To Get Under Way Today

Central Invades Beall, Fort Hill Host To AHS

The girls' division of the Western Maryland Interscholastic League will resume action today after a lapse of five years.

Last games were played in the county circuit in 1942 and then the league did a fadeout.

Today's games find Central of Lonaconing playing Beall High at Frostburg and Fort Hill playing host to Allegany. Both games are scheduled to start at 3:45 p. m.

Miss Agnes Howat is coach at Beall High School, Miss Mary Catherine Wilson is guiding the destinies of Bruce High at Westernport, Mark A. Hawks is tutor of the A.H.S. six, Henrietta Paupe Snyder heads the Fort Hill team and Miss Elva Love Davis is directing the Orange and Black of Central.

Mrs. Cleo Miller Rice and Mrs. Winnie Troutman Holcomb will officiate in the AHS-Fort Hill game while Mrs. Kitty McElfish Rotruck and Mrs. May Welsh Smith will handle the contest at Frostburg.

Bruce High School will not swing into action until January 16 when Beall is met at Westernport.

This is the twenty-third year for the girls' circuit. Central has won 13 championships, Beall 5, Allegany 3 and Penn Avenue 1. Here are the past winners:

Year	School	Year	School
1921	Central	1932	Beall
1922	Central	1933	Allegany
1923	Central	1934	Penn Avenue
1924	Beall	1935	Central
1925	Beall	1936	Central
1926	Central	1937	Central
1927	Beall	1938	Allegany
1928	Beall	1939	Central
1929	Central	1940	Central
1930	Central	1941	Central
1931	Central	1942	Allegany

Paca Club Upsets Plumbers, 28-17

Ridgeley Wallops Independents, 56-27

The William Paca Club upset Lapp's Plumbers 28-17 last night in the second game of the double-header in the Central YMCA Senior Men's Basketball League on the "Y" court.

Walt Davis paced the Paca cagers to 8-6, 19-7, and 22-11 quarter leads with 10 points while Elmer Freeland caged seven markers for the Plumbers.

In the initial game the Ridgeley Legion, present loop leaders, continued their march to the flag with an easy 56-27 conquest of the Independents.

Ace Comer continued his sensational bombarding of the nets to tally 27 points while Dehart was high for the losers with eight markers. The lineups:

Ridgeley Legion	G	F	Pts.
A. Comer, f	13	1-1	27
Hartman, f	5	0-0	10
J. Phillips, c	2	1-1	5
Thompson, g	1	0-0	2
Stangle, g	2	1-2	5
Flanagan, sub	1	0-0	2
Smith, sub	2	1-2	5
Totals	26	4-6	56

Non-scoring sub—Adams.

Independents	G	F	Pts.
Robertson, f	2	1-1	5
Moody, f	3	1-1	7
K. Bishop, c	0	0-0	0
DeHart, g	4	0-0	8
Tabot, g	2	0-0	4
Cubbage, sub	1	1-5	3
Totals	12	3-7	27

Score by periods:

RIDGELEY	14	30	47	56
INDEPENDENTS	9	18	23	27

Referees—Lashorn, Robinette.

Wm. Paca Club	G	F	Pts.
Shaffer, f	0	0-0	0
Davis, f	4	2-5	10
Cox, c	0	3-5	3
Hoban, g	4	0-3	8
Reynolds, g	3	0-0	6
Harper, sub	0	1-1	1
Totals	11	6-14	28

Non-scoring sub—Largent.

Lapp Plumbers	G	F	Pts.
E. Freeland, f	3	1-2	7
D. Parker, f	2	0-0	4
Twigg, c	0	0-0	0
B. Knieriem, g	0	0-0	0
Weimer, g	0	0-0	0
Barnes, sub	1	1-2	3
Lapp, sub	1	1-3	3
Totals	7	3-7	17

Score by periods:

WM. PACA CLUB	8	19	22	28
LAPP PLUMBERS	6	7	11	17

Allegany-Garrett Sportsmen's Group Starts Membership Drive

Contestants Will Get Prizes For Recruiting

FROSTBURG — The Allegany-Garrett County Sportsmen's Association inaugurated a membership drive Tuesday evening at the first meeting of the New Year, held in Firemen's Hall, Water Street, with Henry R. Yates, the newly elected president, presiding.

The drive will end Tuesday, April 8, and five valuable prizes will be awarded on a point system. Each contestant will be given one point for each membership renewal and three points for each new member. Twenty-seven members were secured and were issued membership cards for 1948 at the meeting Tuesday evening and persons bringing the names will be credited with points, the idea being to make the drive retroactive to January 1.

Announcement of the standing of the contestants will be made at the meeting in February, which will be the first Tuesday of the month. The kind of prizes to be offered will also be announced at that time. A feature of the February meeting will be the showing of a motion picture on wild life. Refreshments will be served.

The association also authorized the purchase of two crates of rabbits to be released in the Frostburg territory and made application for 10,000 brown trout and 10,000 small bass to be released in local streams.

President Yates announced that the appointment of an executive committee and the various committee chairmen would be deferred until the February meeting and those to be named will be selected from the membership affiliated with the association at that time.

The association expressed approval of the appointment of Edwin M. Barry as assistant to the director of Maryland Game and Inland Fish Department. Barry was formerly Assistant to the Director of the Department of Research and Education at Solomon's. He assumed his duties October 1. The Frostburg group is planning to have him as a guest speaker at a meeting this spring.

The association also approved a request that publicity be given to the time and place that any game or fish secured by the group is released.

BASKETBALL Results

SCHOLASTIC

Ridgeley 50, Allegany 27
Piedmont 35, Fort Hill 28

COLLEGIATE

Princeton 50, Pennsylvania 48
LaSalle 43, Lafayette 39
Penn State 45, American U. 25
Rhode Island State 99, Bucknell 71
Alderson-Broaddus 71, W. Va. Wesleyan 52
Pittsburgh 46, Carnegie Tech 40
Ohio U. 63, Miami 41
Army 41, Swarthmore 39
Navy Piebes 44, William & Mary 39
Stevens Tech 70, Cathedral 41
Waynesburg 64, Baltimore 35
Rutgers 83, Johns Hopkins 41
Xavier 62, Louisville 34
George Washington 61, Virginia 55
Notre Dame 71, Butler 47.
Wabash 56, Franklin 55
Villanova 99, Ft. Dix 39
Shippensburg Tchrs. 70, Shepherdstown 32
Gettysburg 57, Dickinson 45
Moravian 85, West Chester 63
Columbia 73, Brown 41
Cornell 46, Syracuse 43
Quantico Marines 72, Beckley 56
Duquesne 53, Albright 39
Southern Methodist 62, Tex. Christian 58
Commerce 57, Austin College 32
Loyola of Chicago 70, Valparaiso 59
Tex. Tech. 60, Hardin College 33
Tex. Wesleyan 71, East. Tex. Baptist 29
Omaha Univ. 63, Western Union Col. 49

College Contests Feature Tonight's Basketball Card

Catamounts To Meet West Virginia Quint

Coach Dana "Horse" Lough's Potomac State quintet will play the Golden Bears of West Virginia Tech tonight in a West Virginia Basketball Conference contest scheduled to start at 8:30 p. m. in the college gym.

Playing its first tolt since December 17 the freshman studded Catamount squad will be out to win its third straight conference tilt and its fourth in a row since its opening game loss to Salem College, 46-40.

State defeated the Bears 46-39 in their meeting in 1946 and will play a return match at Tech, February 27.

The Frostburg State Teachers College basketball team will resume action tonight after the holidays when it plays host to the University of Baltimore Bees in Frostburg.

The Teachers will be gunning for their initial triumph of the campaign, having dropped four straight tussels by large margins. Coach Kenneth Babcock's charges lost their first tilt of the season to Baltimore by the score of 56-50.

In the preliminary game to the Frostburg - Baltimore clash the Frostburg State Jaycees will collide with Central High School cagers of Lonaconing. In their previous meeting the Tigers trimmed the Jayvees in a thrilling 31-29 game which was played in two overtime periods.

Kitzmiller High will invade Parsons, W. Va., to tackle Coach Homer Brooks' Panthers in the only other scholastic cage tilt scheduled tonight.

Motorcycle Club Holds Election Of Officers; To Have Party, Banquet

The Cumberland Tigers Motorcycle Club held an election of officers Tuesday night with the following persons elected to office: Buddy Paul, president; Roland Varner, vice president; Mary Stierstorfer, secretary - treasurer; Raymond Dawson, road captain; Grant Mellott, assistant road captain; sergeant at arms, Ernest Liller; and referee, Clyde Runion.

Chairman Homer Stierstorfer and Buddy Paul and Clyde Runion form the competition committee appointed by the club.

A banquet is planned at a later date in honor of the newly elected officials and a skating party will be held next Wednesday, January 14, at the Crystal Park, club officials announced.

COMING HERE — Al "Babe" Mazza, 6-foot-2, former Marshall (W. Va.) College star, who scored 14 field goals and 34 points last Sunday against the Cumberland Dukes, will be seen in action Friday night at SS. Peter and Paul gym when the Columbus (Ohio) Mariners play a return game here about 9:30 o'clock. The Dukes-Columbus contest will follow the game between LaSalle and Fort Hill on the same court. Columbus trounced the locals 54-37 in the Ohio city last Sunday. Admission prices will be reduced for tomorrow's All-American League tilt.

"Battle Royal" To Open Boxing Show On Monday

Four Blindfolded Boys To Tangle At Armory

Something new in local amateur boxing will be introduced next Monday night at the state armory when a "battle royal" will be presented as the opening attraction on the Diamond Athletic Club program.

Matchmaker Jim Klosterman states that four blindfolded boxers—all members of the D.A.C.—will participate in the affair which will be similar to the "battle royals" staged here in pro shows years ago.

The "battle royal" participants will be Maurice Darr, Marty Mull, Bill Braithwaite and "Tiny" Deetz. The free-for-all contest will last three minutes.

Klosterman announced that four boxers representing the Theta Sigma Chi of Potomac State School will swap punches with local scrappers on Monday's program.

In the two top three-round bouts, Donnie Keiser will meet Jackie Klosterman and Jake Koelker will collide with Dick Kemp of Frostburg.

Monday's show will get under way at 8 o'clock.

Legion Trips VFW In Interstate Tilt

Fort Cumberland Post, American Legion tripped the Cumberland Veterans of Foreign Wars, 51-42, last night in an Interstate League contest on the SS. Peter and Paul court.

Sterne topped the loop leaders with 22 markers on 10 fielders and two out of four fouls as the Legion led 9-5, 28-15 and 42-32 at the quarters. Dean was high man for the losers with 15 markers.

Navy Athletes Meet

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 7 (AP) — Eight former Navy athletes are here to review the Naval Academy's athletic policy, and reports are current most of their attention will be devoted to football.

A brief Academy announcement said only that Rear Admiral James L. Holloway, Jr., superintendent, had "convened a special panel of the Naval Academy Athletic Association to review overall athletic policy as it mutually concerned the Association and the Academy."

Nineteen Horses Named

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 7—(AP)—Nineteen sprinters have been nominated for the six furlong $10,000 added Inaugural Handicap at Hialeah race course for the track's opening day feature, January 16.

Two former Inaugural winners—H. A. Dabson's Nante's Ace and A. F. Plock's Ellis—will compete against the field which includes Sunshine Stable's Buzfuz, Woolford Farm's Delegate and Mrs. Fred W. Hooper's Education.

Olympic Stars Relax

PARIS, Jan. 7 (AP)—Members of the United States bobsled, figure skating and speedskating Olympic teams relaxed as tourists today before leaving by train tonight for a new period of intensive training in Switzerland. The games open at St. Moritz Jan. 30.

The 60 team members arrived yesterday on the Liner America at Cherbourg.

Milligan To Continue

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 7 (AP) — Mike Milligan apparently will continue as head football coach at the University of Pittsburgh next season despite reports of a project change.

MARINES DESIRE GAMES

Any teams desiring games with the Marine Reserves basketball team are requested to call the Marines recruiting station at 111 Union street.

GAUDINI SUCCUMBS

ROME, Jan. 7—(AP)—Giolio Gaudini, Italian Olympic fencing champion, died last night in Rome. He was 42.

Blackhawks Cop Third In Row, 50 To 27

Lindsay Is Star; Scores 17 Points

The Ridgeley High School Blackhawks basketball team pounded the hoops from all angles last night to hand Coach Walter L. "Bill" Bowers' Allegany High Campers one of the worst beating the Blue and White have ever absorbed on their home court. The score was 50 to 27.

The visiting Blackhawks copped their third straight game, scoring 50 points or better in each, as they handed the Campers their second loss of the season before a screaming crowd of approximately 850 fans.

Both teams seemed a little off the beaten track as the contest opened with many passes and shots going awry before Bill Brehany broke the ice for the visiting Blackhawks with a layup with three minutes of the quarter gone.

Johnny Vernall tipped in a rebound for the Campers and then added a foul to make it 3-2 Allegany. Mickey Cunninghan's long set gave the Blue and White their biggest margin at 5-2 before the Hawks found the range.

Brehany's two for two at the foul line and Fats Wilson's one-hander put Coach Jesse Riggleman's West Virginians ahead 6-5 just as the quarter ended and from that moment on the Bowersmen were never in the game.

Holding the Marylanders to three points in the second stanza the West Virginians pounded the nets for 13 to take a commanding 19-8 lead at halftime. Brehany and Joe Moss paced the winners in this period.

As the third stanza got underway Paul Lindsay, clever pivot shot marksman for the Hawks, suddenly got hot, hitting four fielders in the third stanza and adding three more in the final canto to wind up as high point man for the game with 17 markers.

Ridgeley seemed to be able to break up Allegany's plays before they got started and this coupled with the fact that many of the Campers' shots rolled off the rim of the basket just seemed to be the difference in the two teams.

Ridgeley used a fast break rather effectively on the small Allegany court but it was their sharp passing and general all-around smooth playing that upset the Campobello quint and kept it off balance throughout most of the game.

The Campers showed their best form late in the third stanza when, trailing 32-10, Vernall and Don Lilya collaborated to hoop four quick baskets to bring the score to 32-18 with three minutes yet to play. But Ridgeley called time out and after play resumed continued to romp away with the game.

The Campers had an exceptionally good night at the foul line, netting 11 of 15 free throws while Ridgeley connected with only eight of 14. The Hawks outscored Allegany 21 to eight from the field.

Ronnie Sterne and Johnny Vernall were outstanding for Allegany while Moss, Brehany and Lindsay were the stars for the Blackhawks. The lineups:

Ridgeley	G	F	Pts.
Lindsay, f	8	1-3	17
Wilson, f	1	2-3	4
Moss, c	4	2-4	10
Brehany, g	4	2-2	10
Comer, g	4	1-2	9
Totals	21	8-14	50

Non-scoring subs—Fisher, Day, Loy.

Allegany	G	F	Pts.
Cunningham, f	1	2-2	4
Vernall, f	3	1-2	7
Lilya, c	3	2-3	8
Sterne, g	1	4-5	6
Lease, g	0	2-2	2
McGregor, sub	0	0-1	0
Totals	8	11-15	27

Non-scoring subs—Clopton, Twigg.

Score by periods:

RIDGELEY	6	13	18	14—50
ALLEGANY	5	3	10	9—27

Referees—Fearer and Roby.

Kramer Bests Riggs

HERSHEY, Pa., Jan. 7 (AP)—Jack Kramer, a newcomer in the ranks of pro tennis, took the lead in the play-for-pay series when he defeated Bobby Riggs, the world champion, 6-1, 3-6, 6-3 tonight.

Kramer, twice the amateur champion of the United States, now holds a 5 to 4 edge in the series which opened in New Work City and will be played out in 15 cities.

Pearman Will Race

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP)—Reggie Pearman of New York University will face stiff competition Saturday night in his bid for a second important victory of the indoor campaign at the Columbus Council, Knights of Columbus, track meet in Brooklyn.

Ed Walsh of the New York Athletic Club and a clubmate, Joe Nowicki are among Pearman's rivals in the Grand Knight half. Walsh defeated Nowicki last year in a blanket finish at 1:57.2.

Soviet Climbers Lauded

MOSCOW, Jan. 7 (AP)—Marshall Ivan Konev today congratulated 500 Soviet mountain climbers who participated in what was described as the biggest traverse ever staged in Europe. The group crossed for the first time the massive Tikhtigen range in Caucasus from Glacier Tsenner to to Glacier Kitlod.

Dornin Replaces Kane

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 7 (AP)—Comdr. Robert E. (Dusty) Dornin, former Navy athlete, has been assigned to the Naval Academy as assistant director of athletics, it was announced today.

He replaces Comdr. William R. Kane, who has held the post for two years.

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Piedmont Trips Sentinels; Ridgeley Wallops A. H. S.

Whitney Martin's SPORTS TRAIL

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP) — All-America Football Conference club owners, whether they realize it or not, are going in for higher education.

Their player transactions to date have been elementary, compared with the advanced course in trades and purchases and sales they will be exposed to when Branch Rickey, baseball's David Harum, really swings into action.

Seriously, the taking over of the Brooklyn football Dodger franchise by the Dodger baseball organization offers tremendous possibilities for changes in the whole pro football setup, as well as for the bolstering of Brooklyn's position in the All-America Conference.

Second Baseball Magnate

He is the second baseball magnate to enter the pro football field, Dan Topping and the New York Yankees having preceded him. It is not improbable that other baseball club owners will follow his example.

After all, the major league clubs own the parks where, except for the Pacific Coast, most of the pro football is played. If the pro footballers can make a goodly profit while paying substantial rental for the parks, the baseball operatives might reason they could just as well be taking that profit for themselves. Owning the parks, their overhead would be reduced substantially.

Rickey probably knows a good deal more about football than a lot of folks might think. If memory serves he coached the sport at Ohio Wesleyan or some such place away back when. If he should hand over the Dodger franchise to another group for operation, a move which he says is a possibility, he might take only a casual interest.

Will Jump Right In

But if he keeps it and operates it himself, it is a good bet that he will jump right into it with both feet, putting all his tremendous energy and organizing ability and general know-how into the project.

Pro football has not been what might be called a sensational success in Brooklyn at any time. We have the impression that Brooklyn is strictly a baseball stronghold. A baseball Dodger stronghold, to be exact.

Now Rickey has the chance to prove we are wrong. If he can't make it pay out, nobody can.

Naturally assembling a winning football team offers problems not encountered in baseball. Baseball clubs can take high school graduates, assign them to farm clubs and gradually build them up to major league status.

Pro football players, with rare exceptions, come out of the colleges, where they establish their reputations and if they are any good at all they are subject to the draft. The pro football clubs can't take a high school kid and spoon-feed him until he is ready. For one thing, it takes college play to develop a football player to a point where he might be considered pro material.

Final Period Rally Defeats Ft. Hill 35-28

Scarlet And White Win Streak Broken

PIEDMONT, W. Va.—A 16-point rally in the final period snapped the Fort Hill High Sentinels of Cumberland, Md., six-game winning streak as Coach "Huck" Miers Piedmont Lions came from behind to trip the all-winning Marylanders 25-28 last night on the locals' court before a crowd of approximately 400 persons. The Sentinels defeated Piedmont earlier in the season, 42 to 25.

Evers Smith and Grady sparked the final quarter rally as each dumped in three fielders for the Lions after Piedmont had trailed Fort Hill throughout most of the game.

The Sentinels, paced by Mil Dean, hopped off to a 6-4 lead at the quarter and, after Piedmont tied the count at 6-6 early in the second stanza, went on to build their margin to 16-12 at halftime. Goals by Dean and Lattimer gave the visiting Scarlet and White their margin after Piedmont had knotted the count for the second time at 12-12.

Both teams scored seven markers in the third canto and the Sentinels maintained their slim four-point advantage. However as the final setto began, Grady hit three consecutive shots from the outside to pull the Lions back into the game. Then E. Smith took over the scoring chores for the winners and dumped in three quick layups to put the game on ice for the locals.

The biggest margin enjoyed by either team was five points by the Sentinels until Piedmont came from behind to build up their winning margin.

Dean with nine markers and Charley Lattimer with eight were the big guns for the visitors while E. Smith netted six fielders and one of three foul tosses to cop high scoring honors for the game with 13 points, followed by his teammate Grady who talled eight. Piedmont will play host to Charles Town High Friday in the Lions' next encounter. The lineups:

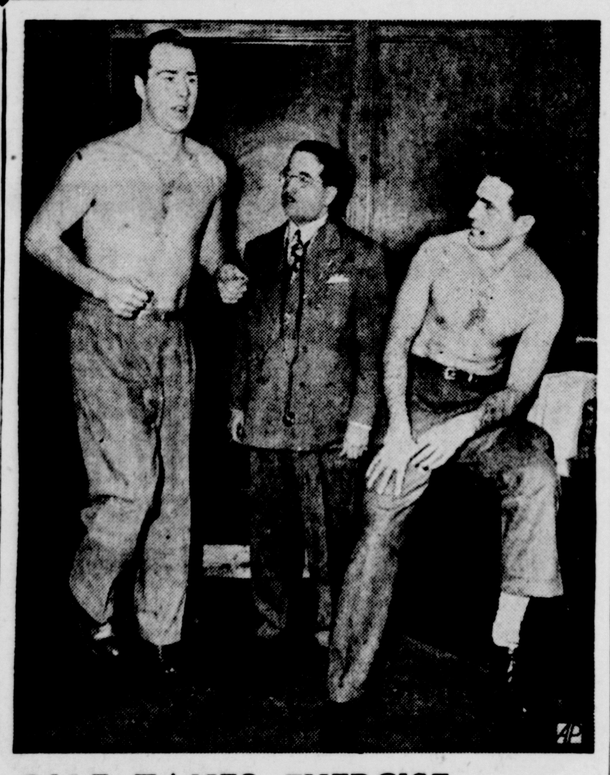
Fort Hill	G	F	Pts.
Dean, f	4	1-5	9
Moler, f	1	0-1	2
Cage, c	0	3-4	3
Lattimer, g	3	2-5	8
Manges, g	2	0-0	4
Alderton, sub	1	0-4	2
Burke, sub	0	0-0	0
Totals	11	6-19	28

Piedmont	G	F	Pts.
Ward, f	3	3-4	9
W. Smith, f	1	2-3	4
Steidings, c	0	1-3	1
E. Smith, g	6	1-3	13
Grady, g	4	0-0	8
Mobilio, sub	0	0-1	0
Totals	14	7-14	35

Score by periods:

FORT HILL	6	10	7	5—28
PIEDMONT	4	8	7	16—35

Referees—Pence and Clark.



OLLE TAKES EXERCISE—Swedish heavyweight boxer Olle Tandberg (left) goes through a jumping exercise in the office of the New York State Boxing Commission in New York City for Dr. Vincent D. Nardiello. Joey Maxim (right), Cleveland boxer, will meet Tandberg January 9 at Madison Square Garden.

The Sportlight by GRANTLAND RICE

Golf's Feature Shows

LOS ANGELES, Cal.,—Outside of the normal and average run, there are two feature golf shows for 1948. One belongs to a young fellow by the name of Harry Lillis Crosby, sometimes known as Bing. The other is the Masters' tournament at Augusta in April.

Here are both the fun and color and money tournaments of the year—headed by Bing Crosby and Bobby Jones. This is a tough combination to beat. They carry a heavy pack of tradition in the way of class and sportsmanship. And the world today can still use more class and sportsmanship than it has shown in some time.

Also Bing and Bob have the finest golf courses in the world at hand for their winter and spring shows. Pebble Beach, Cypress Point and the Augusta National stand out, three of golf's greatest. You don't hack your way around these courses in 68's and 69's.

Bing's 1948 show which gets underway today, will be a standout in more than one respect. He has $10,000 on the line in the way of cash prizes. He has a tournament for the leading amateurs and their pro partners. He has the pick of all the world's greatest pros—Hogan, Demaret, Locke, Von Nida, Snead, Ferrier, Worsham and the rest of the pack. In addition to all this, he plays his tournament over three famous courses—Pebble Beach, Cypress Point and Del Monte in the world's greatest golfing peninsula.

Bing is the only golfer I know who can put on a $10,000 show, star in it and then give them "White Christmas" at the 19th hole. There are several millions who think he is more effective at the 19th hole than he is at the other 18 in spite of his 74's and 75's.

Golf is not Mr. Crosby's only game. He has an interest in the Pittsburg Pirates, a ball club under liberal and intelligent ownership that will soon be moving up, not overlooking one Ralph Kiner who should be the best home-run hitter of the lot this year.

Bing is a better golfer than Kiner is, but Kiner can hit more home runs. Also Bing has a slight edge at the 19th hole where Kiner is on the shy or retiring side.

The Long Pursuit Race

Rivalry in the upper crust is keener this new season than we have seen it for many years. There is the friendly American rivalry between Jimmy Demaret and Ben Hogan, two old Texas cronies. They are the best the U. S. has to offer, with Byron Nelson on the sidelines. And Lloyd Mangrum isn't far behind.

Then there is the invading rivalry of Bobby Locke from South Africa, and Norman Von Nida from Australia, who won the Vardon Trophy in England last year. Locke proved to be the best foreign golfer the U. S. had seen since the day of Vardon at his best—even better than Ted Ray who tied for our title with Vardon in 1913 and who won it in 1920 with Vardon, an old man then, tied for second.

This country knows how good a golfer Bobby Locke is. He proved that in 1947 by picking up over $24,000 in a few months, just ahead of Hogan and back of Demaret with a much longer schedule to meet.

Moving from Los Angeles to Bing Crosby's major show at Pebble Beach and Del Monte, the rivalry among these leading four contenders—Hogan, Demaret, Locke and Von Nida—picks up growing interest, with our leading champions in their pitching.

They have just added Detroit's Motor Open at $15,000 next summer. There is a good chance that a Locke, a Hogan, a Demaret or someone else who can get hot and remain hot can pick up better than $30,000 for 1948.

It will be worth taking a look at scores in the Bing Crosby tournament in the wake of the L. A. Open. There should be a parley on these two Opens.

There is another feature connected with these California golf shows. It involves Ben Hogan and Von Nida. Hogan weighs 138, Von Nida 130. The winner of the Vardon Trophy has been as low as 125 but at least the Hogan-Von Nida weights prove that a golfer doesn't have to be a giant to hit the ball 250 yards and score with his huskier challengers.

Locke and Demaret are pretty solid citizens. Neither is tall, but both are solidly built. They should weigh around 180.

Sammy Snead has the ideal physical set up, lean, lank, wiry, tall enough to give you a swing you won't forget. The return of Sam Snead would be a big boon to golf. Here is the last word in a golf swing—until he reaches the green.

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Agreement Due For Louis Bout

Walcott Expected To Agree To Terms

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 — (AP) — Joe Louis, his handlers and Twentieth Century Sporting Club officials continued their negotiations today over a few minor details on a contract for a title bout here next June.

The 20th announced last night that it had "practically closed" with the heavyweight champion for a title defense in June. Louis is to get 40 percent of the gate against an opponent yet unnamed, but whom the 20th expects to be Jersey Joe Walcott.

Radio, television and movie proceeds were discussed today and a 20th spokesman said that an agreement was expected to be reached tomorrow.

With the champion in hand, Sol Strauss, acting director of the fight organization in the absence of Mike Jacobs, is in a better position to dicker with Walcott.

The veteran Camden, N. J., battler, who lost a split decision to Louis last Dec. 5, has been asking for a 30 per cent cut for a return bout while Strauss has insisted on a 20 per cent limit.

Observers here believe that with Jacobs, convalescing at Miami Beach, in on the negotiations, a compromise proposition will be negotiated with Walcott.

Williams May Meet Minelli In February

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 7 (AP)—Ike Williams, world lightweight champion, and Livio Minelli, Italian welterweight from Milan, probably will sign tomorrow for a ten-round non-title bout here Feb. 9, promoter Herman Taylor said today.

"Both fighters have indicated a willingness to meet here," Taylor said, "and as soon as we clean up a few more details I expect them to sign contracts."

Leonard Estate $40,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 7—(AP)—Benny Leonard, former lightweight boxing champion, left a net estate of nearly $40,000 to his widow, Mrs. Jacqueline Leonard, a tax appraisal showed today.

Leonard, who died last April 18, left a gross estate of $44,926. Of the $39,983 remaining after deductions, $26,800 was in cash. Mrs. Leonard was the sole beneficiary.

Barbara Scott Arrives

PRAGUE, Jan. 7—(AP)—Barbara Ann Scott of Ottawa, world champion woman figure skater, arrived by plane today from Davos, Switzerland to prepare for the defense of her European figure skating crown January 13-15. She was accompanied by her mother and her coach, Sheldon Galbraith.

Racing Dates Are Being Sought By New Jersey Clubs

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 7 (INS)—The New Jersey Racing Commission will meet January 16 to fix the racing dates for running events at the state's three tracks at Camden, Atlantic City and Oceanport.

The commission held a four hour meeting today but failed to reach an agreement on the time of running races at the tracks.

The Atlantic City Racing Association seeks to operate from August 9 to September 25. The Garden State Racing Association, which operates a track near Camden, has applied fro the period from August 23 to October 9. It is the overlapping dates that trouble the racing commissioners as the state's racing laws provide that only one horse race meeting can be held in the state on any one day.

The Monmouth Park Jockey Club, which operates a track at Oceanport, near Long Branch, seeks permission to conduct horse racing from June 21 to August 7.

Irish May Meet Texas

HOUSTON, Tex., Jan. 7—(AP)—The Houston Chronicle said today announcement of signing of a home-and home football agreement between the University of Texas and Notre Dame can be expected "within the next few weeks."

"It looks now as if the series will open in Austin in 1949," Sports Editor Dick Freeman said.

Texas last met Notre Dame in 1934, winning a 7 to 6 tilt at South Bend.

Terra Alta Moose Wins

TERRA ALTA, W. Va., — The Terra Alta Moose, paced by Eary with 13 markers and Kelly and Thomas with eight apiece, walloped the Kingwood Legion 55-36 last night at Terra Alta.

The Moose cagers hopped off to a 15-6 lead at the quarter, built it to 31-18 at halftime and 41-25 at the cloes of the third quarter, and were never in trouble.

Pollen topped the Legion scorers with 10 points.

Reds Sign Blackwell

CINCINNATI, Jan. 7—(AP)—Long, lean Ewell Blackwell, whose whip-like arm made him the best right-handed pitcher in baseball last year, today signed a contract with the Cincinnati Reds for 1948.

Terms of the contract were not announced by Warren C. Giles, president of the Reds, but it was apparent from a statement he made that the tall boy had been given a substantial boost in pay.

Dinner Honoring Fort Hill Champs Set For Tonight

250 To Attend Affair, Navy Coach To Speak

Fort Hill High School's football champions will be feted tonight at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

Approximately 250 persons will attend the affair arranged by the Booster Club, comprising Penn Avenue and Fort Hill alumni members and adults who are interested in the success of Fort Hill teams.

The guest speaker will be Ensign Ben Martin, freshmen football coach at the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, and former grid and track star of the Middies.

H. Clifford Spiker, co-chairman of the committee on arrangements, will open the meeting and introduce O. J. Hale, assistant managing editor of the Cumberland News, who will act as toastmaster. Short talks will be made by Charles L. Kopp, superintendent of schools; Victor D. Heisey, Fort Hill principal, John J. "Bobby" Cavanaugh, athletic director at Fort Hill and William P. Hahn, coach of the city champions and winners of nine consecutive games after dropping the opener of the season. Hahn, incidentally, was voted the coach of the year of high schools in Maryland outside of Baltimore City.

Mayor Thomas S. Post, Robert L. Bigler, assistant coach; Ray Stevenson, city's top scorer, who was unable to play against Allegany on Thanksgiving Day on account of suffering an injury in the Hagerstown game; Jimmie Manges, who hung up a city record for points after touchdown and also was placed on the all-state and all-city teams and members of the Booster Club will be called upon to make brief remarks.

The dinner is scheduled to get under way at 6:30.

A technicolor and sound moving picture entitled "U. S. Naval Academy," will be shown by Ensign Martin. The film depicts life at the academy and includes highlights of the 1946 Army-Navy football game.

Kinkead Discusses St. Louis Purchase

ST. Louis, Jan. 7 (AP)—George F. Kinkead discussed the possibility of buying the St. Louis Browns with Owner Richard C. Muckerman today but did not make an offer or say what he would be willing to pay for the club, Muckerman announced.

The bottled-gas company executive of Louisville, Ky., claiming the backing of two St. Louis millionaires whose names he refused to divulge, is the third person to express interest in purchasing the American League club in recent months.

"During his visit we discussed baseball in general but Mr. Kinkead did not make any offer or name any price," Muckerman said.

"He asked if the ball club was for sale and I told him that if he came in with an offer, I would then consider whether it was for sale."

WMI Girls' Cage League To Get Under Way Today

Central Invades Beall, Fort Hill Host To AHS

The girls' division of the Western Maryland Interscholastic League will resume action today after a lapse of five years.

Last games were played in the county circuit in 1942 and then the league did a fadeout.

Today's games find Central of Lonaconing playing Beall High at Frostburg and Fort Hill playing host to Allegany. Both games are scheduled to start at 3:45 p. m.

Miss Agnes Howat is coach at Beall High School, Miss Mary Catherine Wilson is guiding the destinies of Bruce High at Westernport, Mark A. Hawks is tutor of the A.H.S. six, Henrietta Paupe Snyder heads the Fort Hill team and Miss Elva Love Davis is directing the Orange and Black of Central.

Mrs. Cleo Miller Rice and Mrs. Winnie Troutman Holcomb will officiate in the AHS-Fort Hill game while Mrs. Kitty McElfish Rotruck and Mrs. May Welsh Smith will handle the contest at Frostburg.

Bruce High School will not swing into action until January 16 when Beall is met at Westernport.

This is the twenty-third year for the girls' circuit. Central has won 13 championships, Beall 5, Allegany 3 and Penn Avenue 1. Here are the past winners:

Year	School	Year	School
1921	Central	1932	Beall
1922	Central	1933	Allegany
1923	Central	1934	Penn Avenue
1924	Beall	1935	Central
1925	Beall	1936	Central
1926	Central	1937	Central
1927	Beall	1938	Allegany
1928	Beall	1939	Central
1929	Central	1940	Central
1930	Central	1941	Central
1931	Central	1942	Allegany

Paca Club Upsets Plumbers, 28-17

Ridgeley Wallops Independents, 56-27

The William Paca Club upset Lapp's Plumbers 28-17 last night in the second game of the double-header in the Central YMCA Senior Men's Basketball League on the "Y" court.

Walt Davis paced the Paca cagers to 8-6, 19-7, and 22-11 quarter leads with 10 points while Elmer Freeland caged seven markers for the Plumbers.

In the initial game the Ridgeley Legion, present loop leaders, continued their march to the flag with an easy 56-27 conquest of the Independents.

Ace Comer continued his sensational bombarding of the nets to tally 27 points while Dehart was high for the losers with eight markers. The lineups:

Ridgeley Legion	G	F	Pts.
A. Comer, f	13	1-1	27
Hartman, f	5	0-0	10
J. Phillips, c	2	1-1	5
Thompson, g	1	0-0	2
Stangle, g	2	1-2	5
Flanagan, sub	1	0-0	2
Smith, sub	2	1-2	5
Totals	26	4-6	56

Non-scoring sub—Adams.

Independents	G	F	Pts.
Robertson, f	2	1-1	5
Moody, f	3	1-1	7
K. Bishop, c	0	0-0	0
DeHart, g	4	0-0	8
Tabot, g	2	0-0	4
Cubbage, sub	1	1-5	3
Totals	12	3-7	27

Score by periods:

RIDGELEY	14	30	47	56
INDEPENDENTS	9	18	23	27

Referees—Lashorn, Robinette.

Wm. Paca Club	G	F	Pts.
Shaffer, f	0	0-0	0
Davis, f	4	2-5	10
Cox, c	0	3-5	3
Hoban, g	4	0-3	8
Reynolds, g	3	0-0	6
Harper, sub	0	1-1	1
Totals	11	6-14	28

Non-scoring sub—Largent.

Lapp Plumbers	G	F	Pts.
E. Freeland, f	3	1-2	7
D. Parker, f	2	0-0	4
Twigg, c	0	0-0	0
B. Knieriem, g	0	0-0	0
Weimer, g	0	0-0	0
Barnes, sub	1	1-2	3
Lapp, sub	1	1-3	3
Totals	7	3-7	17

Score by periods:

WM. PACA CLUB	8	19	22	28
LAPP PLUMBERS	6	7	11	17

Allegany-Garrett Sportsmen's Group Starts Membership Drive

Contestants Will Get Prizes For Recruiting

FROSTBURG — The Allegany-Garrett County Sportsmen's Association inaugurated a membership drive Tuesday evening at the first meeting of the New Year, held in Firemen's Hall, Water Street, with Henry R. Yates, the newly elected president, presiding.

The drive will end Tuesday, April 8, and five valuable prizes will be awarded on a point system. Each contestant will be given one point for each membership renewal and three points for each new member. Twenty-seven members were secured and were issued membership cards for 1948 at the meeting Tuesday evening and persons bringing the names will be credited with points, the idea being to make the drive retroactive to January 1.

Announcement of the standing of the contestants will be made at the meeting in February, which will be the first Tuesday of the month. The kind of prizes to be offered will also be announced at that time. A feature of the February meeting will be the showing of a motion picture on wild life. Refreshments will be served.

The association also authorized the purchase of two crates of rabbits to be released in the Frostburg territory and made application for 10,000 brown trout and 10,000 small bass to be released in local streams.

President Yates announced that the appointment of an executive committee and the various committee chairmen would be deferred until the February meeting and those to be named will be selected from the membership affiliated with the association at that time.

The association expressed approval of the appointment of Edwin M. Barry as assistant to the director of Maryland Game and Inland Fish Department. Barry was formerly Assistant to the Director of the Department of Research and Education at Solomon's. He assumed his duties October 1. The Frostburg group is planning to have him as a guest speaker at a meeting this spring.

The association also approved a request that publicity be given to the time and place that any game or fish secured by the group is released.

BASKETBALL Results

SCHOLASTIC

Ridgeley 50, Allegany 27
Piedmont 35, Fort Hill 28

COLLEGIATE

Princeton 50, Pennsylvania 48
LaSalle 43, Lafayette 39
Penn State 45, American U. 25
Rhode Island State 99, Bucknell 71
Alderson-Broaddus 71, W. Va. Wesleyan 52
Pittsburgh 46, Carnegie Tech 40
Ohio U. 63, Miami 41
Army 41, Swarthmore 39
Navy Plebes 44, William & Mary 39
Stevens Tech 70, Cathedral 41
Waynesburg 64, Baltimore 35
Rutgers 83, Johns Hopkins 41
Xavier 62, Louisville 34
George Washington 61, Virginia 55
Notre Dame 71, Butler 47.
Wabash 56, Franklin 55
Villanova 99, Ft. Dix 39
Shippensburg Tchrs. 70, Shepherdstown 32
Gettysburg 57, Dickinson 45
Moravian 85, West Chester 63
Columbia 73, Brown 41
Cornell 46, Syracuse 43
Quantico Marines 72, Beckley 56
Duquesne 53, Albright 39
Southern Methodist 62, Tex. Christian 58
Commerce 57, Austin College 32
Loyola of Chicago 70, Valparaiso 59
Tex. Tech. 60, Hardin College 33
Tex. Wesleyan 71, East. Tex. Baptist 29
Omaha Univ. 63, Western Union Col. 49

College Contests Feature Tonight's Basketball Card

Catamounts To Meet West Virginia Quint

Coach Dana "Horse" Lough's Potomac State quintet will play the Golden Bears of West Virginia Tech tonight in a West Virginia Basketball Conference contest scheduled to start at 8:30 p. m. in the college gym.

Playing its first tolt since December 17 the freshman studded Catamount squad will be out to win its third straight conference tilt and its fourth in a row since its opening game loss to Salem College, 46-40.

State defeated the Bears 46-39 in their meeting in 1946 and will play a return match at Tech, February 27.

The Frostburg State Teachers College basketball team will resume action tonight after the holidays when it plays host to the University of Baltimore Bees in Frostburg.

The Teachers will be gunning for their initial triumph of the compaign, having dropped four stranght tussels by large margins. Coacr. Kenneth Babcock's charges lost their first tilt of the season to Baltimore by the score of 56-50.

In the preliminary game to the Frostburg - Baltimore clash the Frostburg State Jaycees will collide with Central High School cagers of Lonaconing. In their previous meeting the Tigers trimmed the Jayvees in a thrilling 31-29 game which was played in two overtime periods.

Kitzmiller High will invade Parsons, W. Va., to tackle Coach Homer Brooks' Panthers in the only other scholastic cage tilt scheduled tonight.

Motorcycle Club Holds Election Of Officers; To Have Party, Banquet

The Cumberland Tigers Motorcycle Club held an election of officers Tuesday night with the following persons elected to office: Buddy Paul, president; Roland Varner, vice president; Mary Stierstorfer, secretary - treasurer; Raymond Dawson, road captain; Grant Mellott, assistant road captain; sergeant at arms, Ernest Liller; and referee, Clyde Runion.

Chairman Homer Stierstorfer and Buddy Paul and Clyde Runion form the competition committee appointed by the club.

A banquet is planned at a later date in honor of the newly elected officials and a skating party will be held next Wednesday, January 14, at the Crystal Park, club officials announced.

COMING HERE — Al "Babe" Mazza, 6-foot-2, former Marshall (W. Va.) College star, who scored 14 field goals and 34 points last Sunday against the Cumberland Dukes, will be seen in action Friday night at SS. Peter and Paul gym when the Columbus (Ohio) Mariners play a return game here about 9:30 o'clock. The Dukes-Columbus contest will follow the game between LaSalle and Fort Hill on the same court. Columbus trounced the locals 54-37 in the Ohio city last Sunday. Admission prices will be reduced for tomorrow's All-American League tilt.

"Battle Royal" To Open Boxing Show On Monday

Four Blindfolded Boys To Tangle At Armory

Something new in local amateur boxing will be introduced next Monday night at the state armory when a "battle royal" will be presented as the opening attraction on the Diamond Athletic Club program.

Matchmaker Jim Klosterman states that four blindfolded boxers—all members of the D.A.C.—will participate in the affair which will be similar to the "battle royals" staged here in pro shows years ago.

The "battle royal" participants will be Maurice Darr, Marty Mull, Bill Braithwaite and "Tiny" Deetz. The free-for-all contest will last three minutes.

Klosterman announced that four boxers representing the Theta Sigma Chi of Potomac State School will swap punches with local scrappers on Monday's program.

In the two top three-round bouts, Donnie Keiser will meet Jackie Klosterman and Jake Koelker will collide with Dick Kemp of Frostburg.

Monday's show will get under way at 8 o'clock.

Legion Trips VFW In Interstate Tilt

Fort Cumberland Post, American Legion tripped the Cumberland Veterans of Foreign Wars, 51-42, last night in an Interstate League contest on the SS. Peter and Paul court.

Sterne topped the loop leaders with 22 markers on 10 fielders and two out of four fouls as the Legion led 9-5, 28-15 and 42-32 at the quarters. Dean was high man for the losers with 15 markers.

Navy Athletes Meet

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 7 (AP) — Eight former Navy athletes are here to review the Naval Academy's athletic policy, and reports are current most of their attention will be devoted to football.

A brief Academy announcement said only that Rear Admiral James L. Holloway, Jr., superintendent, had "convened a special panel of the Naval Academy Athletic Association to review overall athletic policy as it mutually concerned the Association and the Academy."

Nineteen Horses Named

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 7—(AP)—Nineteen sprinters have been nominated for the six furlong $10,000 added Inaugural Handicap at Hialeah race course for the track's opening day feature, January 16.

Two former Inaugural winners—H. A. Dabson's Nante's Ace and A. F. Plock's Ellis—will compete against the field which includes Sunshine Stable's Buzfuz, Woolford Farm's Delegate and Mrs. Fred W. Hooper's Education.

Olympic Stars Relax

PARIS, Jan. 7 (AP)—Members of the United States bobsled, figure skating and speedskating Olympic teams relaxed as tourists today before leaving by train tonight for a new period of intensive training in Switzerland. The games open at St. Moritz Jan. 30.

The 60 team members arrived yesterday on the Liner America at Cherbourg.

Milligan To Continue

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 7 (AP) — Mike Milligan apparently will continue as head football coach at the University of Pittsburgh next season despite reports of a project change.

MARINES DESIRE GAMES

Any teams desiring games with the Marine Reserves basketball team are requested to call the Marines recruiting station at 111 Union street.

GAUDINI SUCCUMBS

ROME, Jan. 7—(AP)—Giolio Gaudini, Italian Olympic fencing champion, died last night in Rome. He was 42.

Blackhawks Cop Third In Row, 50 To 27

Lindsay Is Star; Scores 17 Points

The Ridgeley High School Blackhawks basketball team pounded the hoops from all angles last night to hand Coach Walter L. "Bill" Bowers' Allegany High Campers one of the worst beating the Blue and White have ever absorbed on their home court. The score was 50 to 27.

The visiting Blackhawks copped their third straight game, scoring 50 points or better in each, as they handed the Campers their second loss of the season before a screaming crowd of approximately 850 fans.

Both teams seemed a little off the beaten track as the contest opened with many passes and shots going awry before Bill Brehany broke the ice for the visiting Blackhawks with a layup with three minutes of the quarter gone.

Johnny Vernall tipped in a rebound for the Campers and then added a foul to make it 3-2 Allegany. Mickey Cunninghan's long set gave the Blue and White their biggest margin at 5-2 before the Hawks found the range.

Brehany's two for two at the foul line and Fats Wilson's one-hander put Coach Jesse Riggleman's West Virginians ahead 6-5 just as the quarter ended and from that moment on the Bowersmen were never in the game.

Holding the Marylanders to three points in the second stanza the West Virginians pounded the nets for 13 to take a commanding 19-8 lead at halftime. Brehany and Joe Moss paced the winners in this period.

As the third stanza got underway Paul Lindsay, clever pivot shot marksman for the Hawks, suddenly got hot, hitting four fielders in the third stanza and adding three more in the final canto to wind up as high point man for the game with 17 markers.

Ridgeley seemed to be able to break up Allegany's plays before they got started and this coupled with the fact that many of the Campers' shots rolled off the rim of the basket just seemed to be the difference in the two teams.

Ridgeley used a fast break rather effectively on the small Allegany court but it was their sharp passing and general all-around smooth playing that upset the Campobello quint and kept it off balance throughout most of the game.

The Campers showed their best form late in the third stanza when, trailing 32-10, Vernall and Don Lilya collaborated to hoop four quick baskets to bring the score to 32-18 with three minutes yet to play. But Ridgeley called time out and after play resumed continued to romp away with the game.

The Campers had an exceptionally good night at the foul line, netting 11 of 15 free throws while Ridgeley connected with only eight of 14. The Hawks outscored Allegany 21 to eight from the field.

Ronnie Sterne and Johnny Vernall were outstanding for Allegany while Moss, Brehany and Lindsay were the stars for the Blackhawks. The lineups:

Ridgeley	G	F	Pts.
Lindsay, f	8	1-3	17
Wilson, f	1	2-3	4
Moss, c	4	2-4	10
Brehany, g	4	2-2	10
Comer, g	4	1-2	9
Totals	21	8-14	50

Non-scoring subs—Fisher, Day, Loy.

Allegany	G	F	Pts.
Cunningham, f	1	2-2	4
Vernall, f	3	1-3	7
Lilya, c	3	2-3	8
Sterne, g	1	4-5	6
Lease, g	0	2-2	2
McGregor, sub	0	0-1	0
Totals	8	11-15	27

Non-scoring subs—Clopton, Twigg.

Score by periods:

RIDGELEY	6	13	18	14—50
ALLEGANY	5	3	10	9—27

Referees—Fearer and Roby.

Kramer Bests Riggs

HERSHEY, Pa., Jan. 7 (AP)—Jack Kramer, a newcomer in the ranks of pro tennis, took the lead in the play-for-pay series when he defeated Bobby Riggs, the world champion, 6-1, 3-6, 6-3 tonight.

Kramer, twice the amateur champion of the United States, now holds a 5 to 4 edge in the series which opened in New Work City and will be played out in 15 cities.

Pearman Will Race

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP)—Reggie Pearman of New York University will face stiff competition Saturday night in his bid for a second important victory of the indoor campaign at the Columbus Council, Knights of Columbus, track meet in Brooklyn.

Ed Walsh of the New York Athletic Club and a clubmate, Joe Nowicki are among Pearman's rivals in the Grand Knight half. Walsh defeated Nowicki last year in a blanket finish at 1:57.2.

Soviet Climbers Lauded

MOSCOW, Jan. 7 (AP)—Marshall Ivan Konev today congratulated 500 Soviet mountain climbers who participated in what was described as the biggest traverse ever staged in Europe. The group crossed for the first time the massive Tikhtigen range in Caucasus from Glacier Tsenner to to Glacier Kitlod.

Dornin Replaces Kane

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 7 (AP)—Comdr. Robert E. (Dusty) Dornin, former Navy athlete, has been assigned to the Naval Academy as assistant director of athletics, it was announced today.

He replaces Comdr. William R. Kane, who has held the post for two years.

Gulfstream Entries

1—$2,400, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

xRiel Time	110	xCourt Case	103
Sue's Special	115	Colorset	115
xEl Osuna	108	xWar Wise	107
xRed Mars	111	xBelle Cole	103
Prancing Ted	113	Chally's Bid	109
xHard Facts	115	Zanna May	108
xGood Message	108	xBrace Play	110
Sea Bees	117	xArthur J.	108

2—$2,500, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

Fighting Don	114	xJudge Davey	108
Hearth Mouse	119	Ruddy Glow	115
Grian	114	xTedious Miss	112
Sweepgold	110	Bourbon	112
Fairanfit	117	Ned Canron	114
xShockoe	115	xPlaidioch	109

3—$2,500, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

Sir Spic	114	Tasajillo	114
xEquate	107	xFrapia	107
xPrincess Eire	110	Pretty Valley	103
xVittore	109	xGinny's Pride	102
Second Try	114	Cold Bama	112
xCleverette	107		

4—$2,800, claiming, 3, 6 f.

Storm King	110	xZoriel	104
Queen of Roses	109	xLady Carrie	104
xMr. Buster	101	Gay Spark	114
xGray Chief	105	xLast Bill	107
My Dear Boy	106	Mayes Riley	105
xHypostyle	115	Merry Tudor	111
xBold Lady	104	Magic Moment	109
xHash Night	101	John A Dreams	108

5—$3,500, allowances, 4, 6 f.

Clean Slate	122	Dangerous Age	107
Cardigan	109	Precession	112
Glen Heather	119	xMaster Mind	112
xHot And High	114		

6—$3,500, allowances, 4, 1 1-16 m.

xSteeple Jack	112	Count Jl	117
Forward March	117	xSylvia Dear	110
xMae Agnes	98	xWaterproof	103
Medalist	108	Vinsfurlough	117
Master	108	Soma Lad	108

7—$2,400, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

Gay Mischief	105	xW. H. Kelly	113
xDevil's Island	117	Kankeekee	113
xAguilucho	105	xLucky Ann	112
Woodsman	114	Myrtle M.	112
Sutton Place	117	xMiami Rose	103
Speedy Reco	110	xCabourg	107
xValue Mark	104	Ariel Pigeon	110
xAstound	112	Star Time	114

8—$2,400, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

Tambo	110	Rose Cave	122
xFighter Jack	112	xAwashonks	103
xLady Tyrant	100	Weak Effort	114
Nick Kenny	114	xPortal	105
Opening Bid	110	xCountry Miss	104
La Patica	105	Mr. Dodo	110
xAlison Peters	113	County Cork	114
Everplayful	111	Eibasan	114

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Stirnweiss Signs

NEW YORK, Jan. 7. (INS)—The New York Yankees announced tonight that Second Baseman George Stirnweiss has signed his contract for the 1948 baseball season, his sixth year with the Yanks.

Stirnweiss is the third regular to be brought into the fold. Outfielders Tommy Henrich and Joe DiMaggio previously had agreed to terms.

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

GULFSTREAM PARK (FAST)
By The Associated Press

1—Brace Play, Arthur J., El Osuna.
2—Bourbon, Fighting Don, Hearth Mouse.
3—Cold Bama, Cleverette, Princess Eire.
4—Magic Moment, Hypostyle, John A. Dreams.
5—Clean Slate, Hot And High, Master Mind.
6—Vinsfurlough, Sylvia Dear, Medalist.
7—Lucky Ann, Woodsman, Devil's Island.
8—Country Miss, Elbasan, Opening Bid.
BEST BET—Cold Bama.

GULFSTREAM (FAST)
By Buck Weaver, The Louisville Times

1—El Osuna, Brace Play, Hard Facts.
2—Hearth Mouse, Plaidioch, Fighting Don.
3—Tasajillo, Vittore, Second Try.
4—Zoriel, Merry Tudor, Hypostyle.
5—Clean Slate, Hot And High, Master Mind.
6—Sylvia Dear, Vinsfurlough, Count J. L.
7—Devil's Island, W. H. Kelly, Ariel Pigeon.
8—Alison Peters, Opening Bid, Rose Cave.
BEST BET—Sylvia Dear

FAIRGROUNDS (FAST)
By Buck Weaver, The Louisville Times

1—Olga S., Break Thru, Paprika.
2—Homespun, Grafairchan, La Fleur.
3—Dover, Mr. Happy, Bold Harry.
4—No selections.
5—Corina Lark, Bull Wagon, Junior Wolf.
6—Jack S. L., May Fly, Islam Prince.
7—Up Front, Miss Bobby Sox, Court Flash.
8—Beauzar, War Train, Light Reight.
BEST BET—Jack S. L.

SANTA ANITA
By Paul Lowry

1—Slow Freight, It's About Time, Sun Of Boss.
2—Jimikin, First To Fly, Peppermint.
3—My Beloved, Sun Ireland, Dinner Guest.
4—Blue Mill, Quicklime, High Wind.
5—Peace Harbor, Home Flight, Grand La Grand.
6—Damascus, Gold Jig, Wedding Plans.
7—Rippery, Fair Truckle, Owners Choice.
8—Big Deal, Top Lieutenant, Namby Pass.
BEST BET—Jimikin.

GULFSTREAM PARK
By Joe Gelardi, International News Service

1—Sea Bees, Brace Play, Red Mars.
2—Bourbon, Shockoe, Tedious Miss.
3—Cold Bama, Cleverette, Vittore.
4—Storm King, Zoriel, Last Bill.
5—Clean Slate, Hot And High, Cardigan.
6—Vinsfurlough, Sylvia Dear, Forward March.
7—Lucky Ann, Astound, Ariel Pigeon.
8—Alison Peters, Rose Cave, Fighter Jack.
BEST BET—Bourbon.

FAIR GROUNDS
By Joe Gelardi, International News Service

1—Break Thru, My Julie, Lucky Birthday.
2—Grafairchan, Hoodoo Lady, Parico.
3—Beau Kiss, Brushy, Alice Simms.
4—Lena Valenti, Miboys Sugar, Speedy Baby.
5—Junior Wolf, Dude W., Bull Wagon.
6—Flatbush, Jack S. L., May Fly.
7—Court Flash, Talasea, Up Front.
8—Light Reigh, Say No More, Fighting Mac.
BEST BET—Junior Wolf.

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Baby Kiddie	107	xxLeo's Brandy	107
Water Color	115	Lucky Birthday	105
xxMarty's Ch'ice	106	Shade Ruff	115
Odd Pair	118	xxOlga S.	108
Paprika	107	xxPatch Party	110
Touch Of Time	107	Donna L.	113
xxMy Julie	105		

2—$1,200, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

Rossie Damsel	105	Homespun	113
Parico	115	Cooling Spring	115
xxLa Fleur	108	xxxHoodoo Lady	103
Pari Joe	112	xxReal Sweet	108
xxxFleet Imp	114	Great Card	115
Try Flight	115	Grafairchan	118
xxxArtillery Bob	110	xxxBlack Fantasy	100
Nimble Foot	112	xxAuditor	113

3—$1,300, allowances, 3, 6 f.

a-xxWillow Twig	114	xxWindswept	114
axxxMary's Best	109	xBrushy	111
xxxBeau Kiss	107	Bold Harry	119
Alice Simms	114	Mr. Happy	119
Burdite	114	Run Sally	114
Dover	119	Miss Tigress	114

-Mrs. J. R. Palmisano and R. Palmisano entry.

4—$1,200, maidens, 2, 2 f.

Barkers Pride	116	Christmas Date	116
Speedy Baby	116	Miboys Sugar	116
xMary Caly	113	War Wick	116
xxWatchful Eye	111	Flo Lassie	113
Pearl D. E.	116	Glad Song	116
Penny Maker	116	Lena Valenti	116
Linden Belle	116	Romary Ann	116
Lady Comic	116	Osculady	116

5—$1,500, allowances, 4 and up, 6 f.

xxJunior Wolf	111	Whitch Tack	112
Bull Wagon	114	Corina Lark	107
xDude W.	107	Dranik	116
xxBold Dandy	102	Repand	110

6—$3,000, 3 and up, 6 f.

Jack S. L.	110	May Fly	110
Silvers Pride	105	Jobstown	114
a-Islam Prince	114	a-Flatbush	114

a-Joe W. Brown entry.

7—$1,200, claiming, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Dover Road	110	Suede	115
xxPaddygoeasy	107	xxSmart Fox	105
Miss Bobby Sox	107	xxWee Wee Marie	105
xxGrand Fellow	106	Talasea	110
Bobs Dream	112	Up Front	112
Lestabert	112	Big Scat	115
xxxQueen Kizzie	106	xxGenies Mate	107
xxxCourt Flash	108		

8—$1,200, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

Busy Count	110	xxxBeauzar	108
Singer Hill	112	xxRandom Breeze	107
xxFighting Mac	110	xxAmerican Byrd	107
xxTraceiette	107	xxSay No More	105
Sunny's Honey	105	Lady Duane	107
War Train	113	Willie J.	112
xxCossack Boy	105	Coo Case	112
On The Double	107	Magic Touch	112
xxLight Reigh	110	xxAlaflag	107

x-3; xx-5; xxx-7 lbs. AAC.

YESTERDAY'S SCRATCHES

GULFSTREAM: 1—Second Attempt, Mr. Chap, Snappy Package, Radio Gunner; 2—Hearth Mouse, Sissie G., Cold Bama, Tasajillo; 4—Micky Q., John A. Dreams, Silver Drift, Good Copy; 5—Liza Lee; 8—Inedito.

FAIR GROUNDS: 1—File Dust, Kee Ho, Stocketts Man, Sarasee, Jittery Joe, Foxy Ways; 2—Inahurry, Sandy James, Iola May, Cahokian, Dusty, Dough Girl; 3—Miss Mayvic, Merriment; 4—Peridot, Dark Lace; 6—Gratify; 7—For Granted; 8—Pilatesun, Willie J., Magic Touch.

SANTA ANITA: 1—Blue Baby; 2—Holky Camp, Truckee, Spaish O'Glory, Ronnie Vee, War Map; 3—Alfa, Tryanpass; 5—Very Risky; 6—Makai, Pelure, Dark Air; 7—Jovianne; 8—Pharack.

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Santa Anita Entries

1—$3,500, maidens, 2, bred in California, 3 f.

High Bomber	115	Blade	118
Aggies Boy	118	Terrys Man	118
Row On Row	118	Firpie	118
Torchator	118	Hitch Hiker	118
Canned Goods	118	Itsabout Time	115
Sun Of Boss	118	Wire Prince	118
Slow Freight	118	Salty Bubble	118
Hydromatic	118		

2—$3,500, maidens, 3, 6 f.

Union Flag	118	xPeppermint	113
Thomas	118	Clue Star	118
Jimikin	118	Silver Dash	118
Lets Start	113	Old Beau	118
Clincher	118	First To Fly	118
Duffy	118	Topsadion	118
Ascendant	113	Gift Of Peace	118
V. Flag	118	Gay Challenge	113

3—$3,500, claiming, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Jimmy John	114	Comcatchme	117
Emergency Coat	111	Dinner Guest	112
Bardia	114	Trace Heart	117
Blue Pennant	114	xMy Beloved	104
Squadron	120	Timmy	109
Bala Fria	114	Vain Doctor	114
xHigh Kenty	109	Ney Spring	106
Sun Ireland	114	Latin Agent	117

4—$3,500, allowances, 4 and up, 1 m.

Tonto	114	Cancancier	110
Happy Reward	120	Rastus	120
xHigh Wind	115	Blue Mill	114
Vermont II	110	Yucca Loma	112
Honor System	117	Atom Buster	117
Middle Abbey	114	a-Quick Lime	109
Maoli	109	a-Kai-Kai	109

a—W. L. Ranch entry.

5—$3,500, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

Bindlestiff	117	a-Pater	111
Rey El Conejo	115	First Pebble	111
Grand La Grand	117	xPeace Harbor	104
Home Flight	117	Stimsun	120
Tape Buster	109	Jean Miracle	117
Iwelsta	114	Pari Brazen	114
Noble King	117	a-General Flip	109
Darby D'Day	114		

a—Mrs. H. Curland & Mrs. J. P. Adams entry.

6—$4,000, allowances, 3, The Fourth Estate, 7 f.

Wedding Plans	106	Big Poise	111
Call Man	111	Damascus	114
Gold Jig	114	Barbazure Wasn-hunters Sun	111
Jacopet	117	xNo Apology	106
Sassanid	111		
Fantom Venture	114		

7—$10,000, The Publishers Special Handicap, 4 and up, 6 f.

Don Conejo	111	Galla Damion	114
El Lobo	116	Fair Truckle	120
War Allies	116	Rippey	122
Owners Choice	115	Bymeabond	111

8—$3,500, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

Blue Tiger	122	Nanby Pass	119
Top Lieutenant	116	Big Deal	119
Minstrel Boy	113	Observer	119
xBam	111		

x—AAC.

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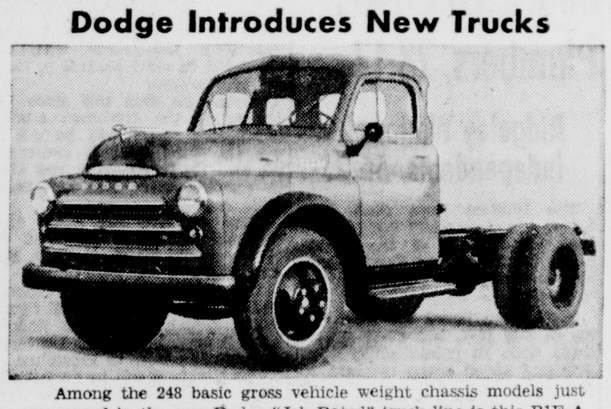

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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

GULFSTREAM PARK

1—Poochanelli, W. M. Cook 7.60, 4.40, 3.10; Border Man, H. Featherston 4.80, 3.20; Cordon, J. Duff 7.80. Time 126 1-5.

2—Linwood Blue, J. Turner 37.70, 14.00, 6.80; Victim, W. M. Cook 4.60, 3.00; Ringoes, R. Nash 3.10. Time 113.

3—Harding F., J. D. Jessop 4.10, 2.60, 2.30; Ned Luck, J. Duff 3.20, 2.50; Compassion, L. Hansman 2.30. Time 145 4-5.

4—Hypnos, R. McPhee 11.30, 7.90, 4.60; Evening Rose, J. Turner 7.90, 6.10; Bull Lead, G. L. Smith 6.20. Time 112.

5—Kanace, G. Pappas 11.50, 4.70, 3.20; Chippewa Chief, J. Duff 3.20, 2.60; Elated, J. Turner 4.20. Time 112 3-5.

6—Bordeaux, C. Givens 14.00, 9.20, 5.90; Yankee Hill, A. Loturco 6.10, 4.90; Mesl, W. M. Cook 5.30. Time 112 2-5.

7—Overpower, N. Combest 4.60, 2.80, 2.50; Sun Tavy, H. Woodhouse 3.80, 3.10; Head An' Tell, J. Stout 3.70. Time 147 1-5.

8—Reno Uptart, E. J. Knapp 21.70, 13.00, 7.60; Potomac, J. D. Jessop 12.40, 6.60; Brazil, R. Sisto 6.70. Time 154 2-5.

DAILY DOUBLE—Poochanelli and Linwood Blue paid $320.00.

FAIR GROUNDS

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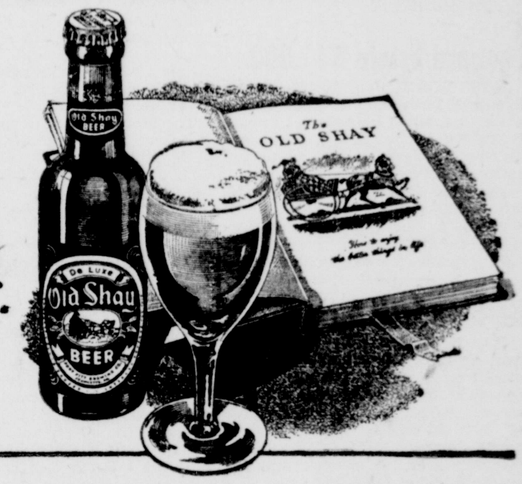

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Gulfstream Entries

1—$2,400, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

xRiel Time	110	xCourt Case	103
Sue's Special	115	Colorset	115
xEl Osuna	108	xWar Wise	107
xRed Mars	111	xBelle Cole	103
Prancing Ted	113	Chally's Bid	109
xHard Facts	115	Zanna May	108
xGood Message	108	xBrace Play	110
Sea Bees	117	xArthur J.	108

2—$2,500, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

Fighting Don	114	xJudge Davey	108
Hearth Mouse	119	Ruddy Glow	115
Grian	114	xTedious Miss	112
Sweepgold	110	Bourbon	112
Fairanlit	117	Ned Canron	114
xShockoe	115	xPlaidloch	109

3—$2,500, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

Sir Spic	114	Tasajillo	114
xEquate	107	xPrapia	107
xPrincess Eire	110	Pretty Valley	103
xVittore	109	xGinny's Pride	102
Second Try	114	Cold Bama	112
xCleverette	107		

4—$2,800, claiming, 3, 6 f.

Storm King	110	xZoriel	104
Queen of Roses	109	xLady Carrie	104
xMr. Buster	101	Gay Spark	114
xGray Chief	105	xLast Bill	107
My Dear Boy	106	Mayes Riley	105
xHypostyle	115	Merry Tudor	111
xBold Lady	104	Magic Moment	109
xHash Night	101	John A Dreams	108

5—$3,500, allowances, 4, 6 f.

Clean Slate	122	Dangerous Age	107
Cardigan	109	Precession	112
Glen Heather	119	xMaster Mind	112
xHot And High	114		

6—$3,500, allowances, 4, 1 1-16 m.

xSteeple Jack	112	Count Jl	117
Forward March	117	xSylvia Dear	110
xMae Agnes	98	xWaterproof	103
Medalist	108	Vinsfurlough	117
Master	108	Soma Lad	108

7—$2,400, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

Gay Mischief	105	xW. H. Kelly	113
xDevil's Island	117	Kankeekee	113
xAgullucho	105	xLucky Ann	112
Woodsman	114	Myrtle M.	112
Button Place	117	xMiami Rose	103
Speedy Reco	110	xCabourg	107
xValue Mark	104	Ariel Pigeon	110
xAstound	112	Star Time	114

8—$2,400, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

Tambo	110	Rose Cave	122
xFighter Jack	112	xAwashonks	103
xLady Tyrant	100	Weak Effort	114
Nick Kenny	114	xPortal	105
Opening Bid	116	xCountry Miss	104
La Patica	105	Mr. Dodo	110
xAlison Peters	113	County Cork	114
Everplayful	111	Ebasan	114

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Stirnweiss Signs

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TODAY'S SELECTIONS

GULFSTREAM PARK (FAST)
By The Associated Press

1—Brace Play, Arthur J., El Osuna.
2—Bourbon, Fighting Don, Hearth Mouse.
3—Cold Bama, Cleverette, Princess Eire.
4—Magic Moment, Hypostyle, John A. Dreams.
5—Clean Slate, Hot And High, Master Mind.
6—Vinsfurlough, Sylvia Dear, Medalist.
7—Lucky Ann, Woodsman, Devil's Island.
8—Country Miss, Elbasan, Opening Bid.
BEST BET—Cold Bama.

GULFSTREAM (FAST)
By Buck Weaver, The Louisville Times

1—El Osuna, Brace Play, Hard Facts.
2—Hearth Mouse, Plaidloch, Fighting Don.
3—Tasajillo, Vittore, Second Try.
4—Zoriel, Merry Tudor, Hypostyle.
5—Clean Slate, Hot And High, Master Mind.
6—Sylvia Dear, Vinsfurlough, Count J. L.
7—Devil's Island, W. H. Kelly, Ariel Pigeon.
8—Alison Peters, Opening Bid, Rose Cave.
BEST BET—Sylvia Dear

FAIRGROUNDS (FAST)
By Buck Weaver, The Louisville Times

1—Olga S., Break Thru, Paprika.
2—Homespun, Grafairchan, La Fleur.
3—Dover, Mr. Happy, Bold Harry.
4—No selections.
5—Corina Lark, Bull Wagon, Junior Wolf.
6—Jack S. L., May Fly, Islam Prince.
7—Up Front, Miss Bobby Sox, Court Flash.
8—Beauzar, War Train, Light Reight.
BEST BET—Jack S. L.

SANTA ANITA
By Paul Lowry

1—Slow Freight, It's About Time, Sun Of Boss.
2—Jimikin, First To Fly, Peppermint.
3—My Beloved, Sun Ireland, Dinner Guest.
4—Blue Mill, Quicklime, High Wind.
5—Peace Harbor, Home Flight, Grand La Grand.
6—Damascus, Gold Jig, Wedding Plans.
7—Rippery, Fair Truckie, Owners Choice.
8—Big Deal, Top Lieutenant, Namby Pass.
BEST BET—Jimikin.

GULFSTREAM PARK
By Joe Gelardi, International News Service

1—Sea Bees, Brace Play, Red Mars.
2—Bourbon, Shockoe, Tedious Miss.
3—Cold Bama, Cleverette, Vittore.
4—Storm King, Zoriel, Last Bill.
5—Clean Slate, Hot And High, Cardigan.
6—Vinsfurlough, Sylvia Dear, Forward March.
7—Lucky Ann, Astound, Ariel Pigeon.
8—Alison Peters, Rose Cave, Fighter Jack.
BEST BET—Bourbon.

FAIR GROUNDS
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1—Break Thru, My Julie, Lucky Birthday.
2—Grafairchan, Hoodoo Lady, Parico.
3—Beau Kiss, Brushy, Alice Simms.
4—Lena Valenti, Miboys Sugar, Speedy Baby.
5—Junior Wolf, Dude W., Bull Wagon.
6—Flatbush, Jack S. L., May Fly.
7—Court Flash, Talasea, Up Front.
8—Light Reigh, Say No More, Fighting Mac.
BEST BET—Junior Wolf.

Fair Grounds Entries

1—$1,200, claiming, 4, 6 f.

xxxSweet Toes	103	xxSarabuck	100
Baby Kiddie	107	xxLeo's Brandy	107
Water Color	115	Lucky Birthday	105
xxMarty's Ch'ice	106	Shade Ruff	115
Odd Pair	118	xxOlga S.	108
Paprika	107	xxPatch Party	110
Touch Of Time	107	Donna L.	113
xxMy Julie	105		

2—$1,200, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

Rossie Damsel	105	Homespun	113
Parico	115	Cooling Spring	115
xxLa Fleur	108	xxxHoodoo Lady	103
Pari Joe	112	xxReal Sweet	108
xxxFleet Imp	114	Great Card	115
Try Flight	115	Grafairchan	118
xxxArtillery Bob	110	xxxBlack Fantasy	100
Nimble Foot	112	xxAuditor	113

3—$1,300, allowances, 3, 6 f.

a-xxWillow Twig	114	xxWindswept	114
axxxMary's Best	109	xBrushy	111
xxxBeau Kiss	107	Bold Harry	119
Alice Simms	114	Mr. Happy	119
Burdite	114	Run Sally	114
Dover	119	Miss Tigress	114

-Mrs. J. R. Palmisano and R. Palmisano entry.

4—$1,200, maidens, 2, 2 f.

Barkers Pride	116	Christmas Date	116
Speedy Baby	116	Miboys Sugar	116
xMary Caly	113	War Wick	116
xxWatchful Eye	111	Flo Lassie	113
Pearl D. E.	116	Glad Song	116
Penny Maker	116	Lena Valenti	116
Linden Belle	116	Romary Ann	116
Lady Comic	116	Osculady	116

5—$1,500, allowances, 4 and up, 6 f.

xxJunior Wolf	111	Whitch Tack	112
Bull Wagon	114	Corina Lark	107
xDude W.	107	Dranik	116
xxBold Dandy	102	Repand	110

6—$3,000, 3 and up, 6 f.

Jack S. L.	110	May Fly	110
Silvers Pride	105	Jobstown	114
a-Islam Prince	114	a-Flatbush	114

a-Joe W. Brown entry.

7—$1,200, claiming, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Dover Road	110	Suede	115
xxPaddygoeasy	107	xxSmart Fox	105
Miss Bobby Sox	107	xxWee Wee Marie	105
xxGrand Fellow	106	Talasea	110
Bobs Dream	112	Up Front	112
Lestabert	112	Big Scat	115
xxxQueen Kizzie	106	xxGenies Mate	107
xxxCourt Flash	108		

8—$1,200, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

Busy Count	110	xxxBeauzar	108
Singer Hill	112	xxRandom Breeze	107
xxFighting Mac	110	xxAmerican Byrd	107
xxTracelette	107	xxSay No More	105
Sunny's Honey	105	Lady Duane	107
War Train	113	Willie J.	112
xxCossack Boy	105	Coo Case	112
On The Double	107	Magic Touch	112
xxLight Reigh	110	xxAlaflag	107

x-3; xx-5; xxx-7 lbs. AAC.

YESTERDAY'S SCRATCHES

GULFSTREAM: 1—Second Attempt, Mr. Chap, Snappy Package, Radio Gunner; 2—Hearth Mouse, Sissie G., Cold Bama, Tasajillo; 4—Micky Q., John A. Dreams, Silver Drift, Good Copy; 5—Liza Lee; 8—Inedito.

FAIR GROUNDS: 1—File Dust, Kee Ho, Stocketts Man, Sarasee, Jittery Joe, Foxy Ways; 2—Inahurry, Sandy James, Iola May, Cahokian, Dusty, Dough Girl; 3—Miss Mayvic, Merriment; 4—Peridot, Dark Lace; 6—Gratify; 7—For Granted; 8—Pilatesun, Willie J., Magic Touch.

SANTA ANITA: 1—Blue Baby; 2—Holly Camp, Truckee, Spalsh O'Glory, Ronnie Vee, War Map; 3—Alfa, Tryanpass; 5—Very Risky; 6—Makai, Pelure, Dark Air; 7—Jovianne; 8—Pharack.

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Santa Anita Entries

1—$3,500, maidens, 2, bred in California, 3 f.

High Bomber	115	Blade	118
Aggies Boy	118	Terrys Man	118
Row On Row	118	Firpie	118
Torchator	118	Hitch Hiker	118
Canned Goods	118	Itsabout Time	115
Sun Of Boss	118	Wire Prince	118
Slow Freight	118	Salty Bubble	118
Hydromatic	118		

2—$3,500, maidens, 3, 6 f.

Union Flag	118	xPeppermint	113
Thomas	118	Clue Star	118
Jimikin	118	Silver Dash	118
Lets Start	113	Old Beau	118
Clincher	118	First To Fly	118
Dufly	118	Topsadion	118
Ascendant	113	Gift Of Peace	118
V. Flag	118	Gay Challenge	113

3—$3,500, claiming, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Jimmy John	114	Comeatchme	117
Emergency Coat	111	Dinner Guest	112
Bardia	114	Trace Heart	117
Blue Pennant	114	xMy Beloved	104
Squadron	120	Timmy	109
Bala Fria	114	Vain Doctor	114
xHigh Kenty	109	Ney Spring	106
Sun Ireland	114	Latin Agent	117

4—$3,500, allowances, 4 and up, 1 m.

Tonto	114	Cancancier	110
Happy Reward	120	Rastus	120
xHigh Wind	115	Blue Mill	114
Vermont II	110	Yucca Loma	112
Honor System	117	Atom Buster	117
Middle Abbey	114	a-Quick Lime	109
Maoli	109	a-Kai-Kai	109

a—W. L. Ranch entry.

5—$3,500, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

Bindlestiff	117	a-Pater	111
Rey El Conejo	115	First Pebble	111
Grand La Grand	117	xPeace Harbor	104
Home Flight	117	Stimsun	120
Tape Buster	109	Jean Miracle	117
Iweista	114	Pari Brazen	114
Noble King	117	a-General Flip	109
Darby D'Day	114		

a—Mrs. H. Curland & Mrs. J. P. Adams entry.

6—$4,000, allowances, 3, The Fourth Estate, 7 f.

Wedding Plans	106	Big Poise	111
Call Man	111	Damascus	114
Gold Jig	114	Barbazure Wasn-	
Jacopet	117	hunters Sun	111
Sassanid	111	xNo Apology	106
Fantom Venture	114		

7—$10,000, The Publishers Special Handicap, 4 and up, 6 f.

Don Conejo	111	Galla Damion	114
El Lobo	116	Fair Truckie	120
War Allies	116	Rippey	122
Owners Choice	115	Bymeabond	111

8—$3,500, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

Blue Tiger	122	Nanby Pass	119
Top Lieutenant	116	Big Deal	119
Minstrel Boy	113	Observer	119
xBam	111		

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4—Hypnos, R. McPhee 11.30, 7.90, 4.60; Evening Rose, J. Turner 7.90, 6.10; Bull Lead, G. L. Smith 6.20. Time 112.

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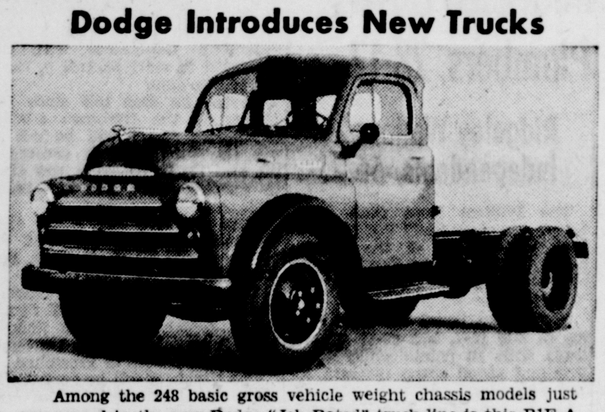

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Mrs. Weston, 91, Frostburg, Is Taken By Death

Funeral Service To Be Held Saturday

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG—Mrs. Mary Lewis Weston, 91, a resident of Frostburg for many years, died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at her home, 102 Maple Street. She had been in failing health for the past four years.

Born in Eckhart, Mrs. Weston was a daughter of the late William and Ann Lewis. Her husband, James Weston, mine superintendent for the old Consolidation Coal Company, died in 1930.

Following his death, Mrs. Weston resided with her son-in-law and daughter, Col. and Mrs. G. M. Mayer, at various Army posts in Texas, Puerto Rico and Colorado. After Col. Mayer's death at Fort Logan, Colo., December 23, 1944, Mrs. Weston and her daughter returned to Frostburg to reside.

Besides her daughter, Mrs. Weston is survived by one sister, Mrs. Fred Domdera, Accident; and two brothers, Thomas Lewis, Eckhart, and Abe Lewis, Cumberland.

A funeral service will be held Saturday afternoon. Other arrangements are incomplete. The body will remain at the home.

Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Rephann, Eckhart, announce the marriage of their daughter, Doris Rosella, to Elmer Leroy Kroll, Lonaconing, son of Mrs. Edith Kroll and the late John Henry Kroll.

The ceremony was performed Christmas Day in the parsonage of Eckhart Methodist Church, with Rev. Charles H. Mead, pastor, officiating. Their only attendant was Mrs. Charles H. Mead.

The bride is employed as a bookkeeper for the Cement Products Company in Cumberland. Mr. Kroll is an employe of the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company.

The couple will reside in Lonaconing.

Layman Re-elected

Woodrow Layman, local hardware merchant, was re-elected chief of the Frostburg Fire Department at the annual election of officers Tuesday evening. Others elected to serve with him were John D. Keller, president; Thomas Rank, vice president; William E. Close, secretary, and Alvin Rankin, treasurer.

Those elected to serve on the standing committee were James McGuire, Thomas Kerr, Evan Lloyd, James Roy Sleeman and Robert Stewart.

Delegates named to represent the department at the annual convention of the Maryland State Volunteer Firemen's Association in Ocean City in June were Arch Baker, Woodrow Layman, Alvin Rankin, Florian Nickel and William Wilderman. City Commissioner Jesse Jacobs was elected chaplain and William Wilderman was chosen sergeant-at-arms.

Frostburg Briefs

A novel ceremony was held in the Eagle building yesterday afternoon when Guy Mallow, worthy president of Frostburg Aerie, No. 1273, Fraternal Order of Eagles, presented Mayor Marshall C. Skidmore with a special marked copy of Collier's Magazine, which will be on sale Friday, January 9, containing a 5,000-word feature story about the Fraternal Order of Eagles under the title "Human Eagles," written by Wade H. Nichols and Ike Vern.

The Young Men's Republican Club Auxiliary will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the club rooms, East Main Street. Hostesses will be Mrs. Hazel Robertson, Mrs. Mildred Craze and Mrs. Sara Dolder.

Frostburg Personals

A. C. Hott, 279 East Main Street, left Tuesday by plane for Grand Pass, Oregon, to visit his father, William Hott, who is seriously ill.

Pvt. Wayne LaRue has returned to Fort Bragg, N. C., after spending an eight-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard LaRue, 34 Mechanic Street.

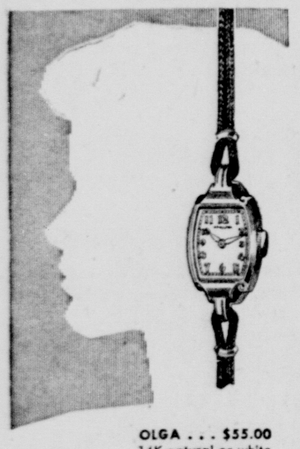
John Ware has returned to Memphis, Tenn., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ware, Welsh Hill.

J. Glenn Beall has returned to Yale University, New Haven, Conn., after spending the holidays with his parents, Congressman and Mrs. J. Glenn Beall.

Harry Keller has returned to St. Louis, Mo., after spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Emma Keller, Wood Street.

Miss Anne Engle has resumed her teaching position after spending the holidays here with the Misses Elizabeth and Teresa Donahue, East Main Street.

Miss Mary Moody, R. N., has resumed her duties on the nursing staff of Mercy Hospital, Baltimore, after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. William Moody, Welsh Street.



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Brief News Notes From Midland

By PEARL BLAIR

MIDLAND—The Midland firemen were called to the home of Harry Smith on Davis Corner Tuesday at 5:30 to extinguish a flue fire.

Personal

Relatives attending the funeral of Paul DeVore Tuesday afternoon in Westernport were Mrs. Elijah McKenzie, Mrs. Clifford Knippenberg, Mrs. James Blair, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Knippenberg and daughter Helen, Cresaptown; Mrs. Eli Frye and daughter Jennie Lee Poland and John McKenzie, Lonaconing.

Helbig Pays $10 Fine On Reckless Driving Charge

By JUNE B. ROLLEY

KEYSER, W. Va.—Gene C. Helbig, 20, Deer Park, pleaded guilty to the charge of reckless driving, and was fined $10 and costs at a hearing before Justice of the Peace Madalyn Bazzle Wednesday afternoon.

Helbig was charged with driving on the wrong side of the road when his car struck a truck driven by Lowell Rogers, Burlington, just beyond Knobley Hill, late Monday afternoon.

State Trooper Frank Bowley and Corporal R. R. Karickhoff made the investigation.

Farm Bureau Meets

Robert Pitts, of the West Virginia Farm Bureau, was guest at the Annual Membership Conference of the Mineral County Farm Bureau held a recent evening at the office of J. E. Prettyman, county agricultural agent. Mr. Pitts addressed the group, stressing the importance of a strong membership. Problems relative to the State and National Farm Bureau Organization were also discussed.

Leonard Sites, membership chairman, who presided at the meeting, reported that 128 members have paid their dues for 1948. He urged that farmers cooperate by paying their dues.

Plans for the annual dinner meeting of the Mineral County Farm Bureau were discussed. The dinner meeting is to be held at the Burlington School, Friday evening, January 23, 6:30 o'clock. It was announced that an effort will be made to have the membership drive completed at this time.

Those attending the conference were H. N. Bosley, S. S. Smith, Lawrence Idleman, E. J. Pritts, C. I. Homan, L. B. Feaster, Charles M. Taylor, J. W. Carskadon, Jr., Garland Ebert, Clyde Bonar, J. R. Stickley, Ervin Bane, James O. Taylor, J. E. Prettyman.

Mrs. Simmons Dies

Mrs. Marion Frances Simmons, 61, died Tuesday night at her home, 317 South Main Street, after an illness of two years.

A native of Mineral County, she was a daughter of the late Joseph Hodges and Annie Rine Hodges. She was a member of the Evangelical United Brethren Church, Rebekah Lodge of IOOF, Royal Neighbors and Daughters of America.

Mrs. Simmons is survived by her husband, L. D. Simmons; two daughters, Mrs. Lois Hull and Mrs. Georgia Grubbs, both of Keyser; a son, Earl Simmons, Keyser; three sisters, Mrs. Ella Moran, Mrs. Harry Eagle and Mrs. Vernon Rotruck, all of Keyser, and a brother, N. J. Hodges, also of Keyser.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Evangelical United Brethren Church Friday at 2 p. m. by Rev. L. G. Bridges, pastor. Interment will be in Queens Point Cemetery.

Will Hold Clinic

The monthly Mineral County Cancer Detection Center and Diagnostic Clinic, under the direction of Dr. Robert Coffman, will be held at the Potomac Valley Hospital, Wednesday, January 14, 2 p. m. Dr. Wilbur Steward, Chief Pathologist of the General Hospital, Baltimore, Md., will be consultant.

Only persons having referral slips from their family doctor will be admitted to receive examination, Dr. Coffman said. There will be no charge for the examination.

Conducts Revival

Evangelist Myrtle Scott, of Philadelphia, Pa., is conducting a revival at the Pentecostal Church, West Piedmont Street, Keyser, during the month of January. Services are not held on Monday nights.

Can't Solicit In Stores

Solicitation of funds by the Volunteers of America, represented by gray-clad women carrying tambourines, will not be allowed in places of business in Keyser, the Business and Professional Association decided at a meeting this week.

The V. of A. usually appeared in Keyser on Saturdays and pay days, it was pointed out by Edgell L. Grayson, president. Funds may be sought on the streets, but effective immediately, the solicitors must stay out of business establishments, Mr. Grayson said.

It was also decided that solicitation in stores in the future will be allowed only when signed cards are issued by a special committee of Association members. Grayson explained that cards will not be denied those organizations whose cause is believed to be a worthy one.

Attorney Howard Shores, Attorney Emery Tyler and John I. Rogers were appointed a committee to work with the Lions Club in its efforts to have Route 220 relocated.

The regular Association meeting date has been set for the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p. m. in the office of the Potomac Light and Power Company, Main Street.

Want Road Relocated

At the meeting of the Mayor and City Council Tuesday afternoon it was voted to give aid to the Keyser Lions Club in their efforts to have Route 220 relocated from Keyser to Petersburg by way of Laurel Dale and Scheer. The route now parallels with Route 50 from New Creek to Junction.

Judge Ernest A. See, chairman of the Lions Club committee on the road project, requested the help of the City Council in a letter. Judge See pointed out in his letter that 10 miles could be saved from Keyser to Petersburg if the road is relocated in addition to providing a better road.

It was also decided to name a committee of interested citizens, preferably with experience in municipal affairs, to work with the council in adopting a home rule charter. The committee is to be named at the next council meeting.

Mrs. Miller Dies

Mrs. Cora M. Miller, 67, widow of David J. Miller, Greenland, Grant County, W. Va., died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sylvia Horn, Urbana, Ill.

She was a lifelong resident of Grant County, a daughter of the late David and Sarah Smith.

Also surviving are the following children: Miss Fannie Criswell, Columbus, Ga.; Mrs. Charles Beyers, Keyser; Mrs. Theresa Bittorf, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Dorothy Cash, Flynn, Tex.; Mrs. Marilyn Allason, Caruthersville, Mo.; Mrs. Marjorie Miller, Champagne, Ill., and Miss Viola Miller, at home.

One sister, Mrs. Sarah Wolf, Kempton; a brother, Louis Smith, Flats, W. Va., 29 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

A funeral service will be held Friday at 11:30 a. m. at the home in Greenland and burial will be in the family cemetery near Old Fields, W. Va.

Pythian Sisters Install

Retiring Chancellor Commander, C. M. Chilcoat, of the Knights of Pythias, and Mrs. Pauline Martin, president of the Pythian Sisters, presided at the joint installation of officers of Olive Brance Lodge No. 25 and Olive Temple No. 59 at the Castle Hall, Tuesday night.

Officers installed for the Knights were F. C. Kimmell, Chancellor Commander; W. F. Anderson, vice chancellor; C. M. Chilcoat, master at works; Richard Sanders, prelate; Charles Llewellyn, master at arms; R. L. Fisher, inner guard, and H. O. Snider, outer guard.

Past Chancellor Commander Coyd Yost was installing officer. He was assisted by J. B. Reese and H. B. Montgomery.

Pythian Sisters officers installed by Mrs. Bernice Mixon, Mrs. Otie Neville, Miss Anne Leary and Miss Maude Rice, were Mrs. Pauline Martin, past chief; Mrs. Lora Tranton, excellent chief; Mrs. Birdie Hixenbaugh, excellent senior; Mrs. Hazel Adams, excellent junior; Mrs. Sadie Maine, manager; Mrs. Madge Bright, mistress of records and correspondence; Miss Frances Davis, mistress of finance; Mrs. Lucille Spotts, protector; Mrs. Hazel Boyd, guard; Mrs. Violet Brown, trustee; Miss Anne Leary, press correspondent; Miss Maude Rice, representative; Mrs. Otie Neville, alternate, and Miss Maude Rice, pianist.

F. C. Kimmel was in charge of refreshments.

Trenter Is Sentenced

Clarence "Bud" Trenter was given a sentence of 30 days on the city streets Wednesday morning when he appeared before City Judge A. A. Jordan on a charge of being drunk.

It was the third time within a week that Trenter had been taken before Judge Jordan on charges of being drunk.

Brief Items

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heishman, New Creek, at the Potomac Valley Hospital, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster D. Harrison of McCoole, have returned from Washington where they visited their daughter, Wilma, who is a patient at the Sibley Hospital.

Harry Hendrickson is ill at his home in Purgittsville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Minnich announce the birth of a daughter at the Potomac Valley Hospital, Tuesday.

Recent admissions to the local hospital include William Wagoner, Keyser; Juanita Moreland, Mt. Storm, and Mrs. Jennie Pattison, Bloomington.

Universal Prayer Service Set For Coney Tonight

By MARIE MERRBACH

LONACONING—Universal Prayer meeting will be held this evening at the First Presbyterian Church with the Ladies' Bible Class of the church in charge.

A special program of music has been arranged.

The Past Chiefs of Morning Star Temple No. 1, Pythian Sisters, will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Knights of Pythias hall, Union Street, to elect officers.

Hostesses will be Mae Matthews, Jennie Smith, Martha Eichhorn and Ella Braznell.

Meeting Is Called

A meeting has been called by Morgan Riley, chairman of the March of Dimes in this vicinity, for tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the James P. Love Post No. 92 home on Jackson street.

All persons wanting to assist in this drive are asked to attend along with representatives of the various organizations in the community.

Brief Items

Red Cross home nursing class will meet Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the Red Cross Center, Main Street.

Installation of officers of Morning Star Temple No. 1, Pythian Sisters, will be held Monday at 8 p. m. in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Union Street. Miss Catherine Stevenson will be installing officer, with Edith Holder and Nellie Miller assisting.

Detmold Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor a bake sale on Friday at Lee Clark's market, Main Street.

Fireman First Class William Smith of Norfolk, Va., was home for the weekend. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, East Main Street.

Morgan Riley was elected first vice-commander; John Dunn, chairman of trustees; and Harry Salada, chairman, at an election held at James P. Love Post No. 92, American Legion, Tuesday evening.

Demonstration Will Be Given In Whole Meal Cooking At Piedmont

Each Guest Will Receive Souvenir

By GEORGE DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT—A demonstration in whole meal cooking, time saving tips and short cuts will be given by Miss Jane Marshall, home service director of the Cumberland and Allegany Gas Company at the January meeting of the Piedmont Parent - Teachers Association this evening at the high school.

Free receipt sheets will be given out and also a small souvenir for each guest.

Eagles To Meet

A District meeting of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will be held Sunday 2 p. m. at the home of Piedmont Aerie No. 707, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Martinsburg and Davis Aeries are expected to be represented.

Club Will Meet

The January meeting of the Social Welfare Club will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the firemen's room of the Westernport City Building.

Reports on the sale of Christmas trees will be made at the meeting of the Westernport and Luke Lions Club today 6:30 p. m. at the Westernport Service Center.

Returns To School

Miss Frances Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Wright, Vine Street, Westernport, has returned to school at Baltimore, after undergoing an operation on one of her eyes at Episcopal Hospital, Washington.

Petry Will Speak

Jack Petry, member of the Bruce High School faculty, Westernport, will discuss "The Parents Part In Guidance" at the January meeting this evening of the Piedmont Woman's Club at the Piedmont Library.

A musical program will be under the supervision of Herman Dash, music teacher at Bruce. Mrs. Vernon A. Staggers will be in charge. Refreshments will be served.

Dodge Rites

A service for James S. Dodge, 77, retired farmer, who died Monday at the home of his son, Earl D. Dodge, Philos Avenue, Extended, Westernport, will be held at his former home in Garrett County near Thayersville, tomorrow 1 p. m.

Rev. Clarence Fraker, pastor of the Evangelical United Brethren Church, McHenry will officiate. Interment will be in the cemetery at Addison, Pa. The body will be taken to his home at Thayersville today.

Pythian Sisters Install

Recent elected officers of Calanthe Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters, Piedmont, were installed Monday night by Mrs. Novella Davis, a past chief.

The officers include; Mrs. Margaret Harvey, most excellent chief; Mrs. Nora Wilt, excellent senior; Mrs. Virginia McKenzie, excellent junior; Mrs. Anna Codire, manager; Mrs. Olive Clabaugh, mistress of records and correspondence; Mrs. Delsie Dawson, mistress of finance; Mrs. Elva Pence, protector; Mrs. Phyllis Greenhorn, guard; Mrs. Vivion McKenzie, press correspondent; Mrs. Hattie Wheeler, representative to the grand temple; Mrs. Rose Schade, alternate; Mrs. Della Love, captain of the degree team, and Mrs. Daisy Keller, pianist.

A class of candidates were initiated before the insallation of the officers. Refreshments were served.

Arnold Circle Meets

The Marguerite Arnold Circle met recently at the home of Mrs. Donald McDombs.

A quiz on chapter 14 and 15 of the Book of John was conducted by Mrs. John Kalbaugh, with Mrs. Norman Baughman, high scorer for the Reds and Mrs. Ray Hartman, high scorer for the blues. The Blues are leading the Reds with an average of 44.0 to 40.3.

A letter from Mrs. Joseph Bowley, a member of the circle, who is visiting at her home in England, was read by Mrs. Frank Fisher.

Mrs. Bruce Cave and Mrs. Jean Stuzman were introduced as new members. Mrs. John Kalbaugh was assistant hostess. The February meeting will be held with Mrs. Paul Samuels, Piedmont.

Masons Install Officers

A. Wayne Reed, district grand lecturer and Louis W. Hicks, district grand inspector installed and invested the recent elected officers of Hiram Lodge No. 163, A. F. & A. M., Westernport, Tuesday evening. Past Master C. Albert Beck, acted as marshal.

The officers include; Ora E. Brinkman, worshipful master; Robert W. Gerfin, senior warden; Carl W. Shaffer, junior warden; Louis W. Hicks, secretary; Orin P. Maxwell, treasurer; Homer L. Michael, senior deacon; Paul J. Uber, junior deacon; John W. Cox, senior steward; W. Howard Peyton, junior steward and Earl G. Hawk, tyler.

The retiring master Evan E. Dewitt, was presented the Past Masters jewel by Past Master Ray L. Wilt.

Officers Are Installed

The recent elected officers of Potomac Fire Company No. 2, were installed Tuesday night in the firemen's room of the Westernport City Building by William Kolberg, a past president.

Officers include; Patrick Mills, president; Harry Hackett, vice-president; Victor Keller, financial secretary; John P. Wills, recording secretary; The Rev. G. Stanley Schwind, chaplain; Gerald Harrison, treasurer; William Mayles, chief; Claude Kight, captain and Richard Lambertson, sergeant-at-arms.

Plan Card Party

At the meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association, held Tuesday night at the Luke School with Mrs. Virgil Raines presiding, plans were made for a card party to be held Monday Jan. 19. Bridge, "500" and setback will be played.

William G. Fatkin, principal of the school, expressed the thanks of the faculty and student body for a duplicator and accessories which the P. T. A. donated to the school, which was on display at the meeting.

Mrs. Calvin Combs, presented a pair of hand made pillow cases to the P. T. A. to be used as the association might see fit in raising funds.

The kitchen was inspected by Mrs. Raines and J. Guthrie Luke, II, with a view to improving it for better use in preparing for food sales and providing refreshments at the meetings.

It was announced that a square dance would be held next month.

Miss Anne Sloan, Lonaconing, has been invited to speak at the next meeting, Tuesday evening, Feb. 3.

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Seven Room House with New Furnace and Bath, apply 137 Wood street after 6 p. m. Frostburg.
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REWARD

For recovery of Male, brown and white Dog. Lost on Savage Mountain. Dog was wearing a collar and bell. James Herrbach, Lonaconing, Md.
Adv.-Jan. N-T-6-7-8

BANK STATEMENT

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIDELITY SAVINGS BANK OF FROSTBURG, ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND OF FROSTBURG IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1947.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	$ 544,962.01
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,681,237.49
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	9,818.96
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	59,896.50
Corporate stocks (including $ None stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including $38.14 overdrafts)	1,547,971.45
Bank premises owned $33,000.00, furniture and fixtures $3,000.00	36,000.00
(Bank premises owned are subject to $ None liens not assumed by bank)	
TOTAL ASSETS	$3,885,886.41

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	896,709.36
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,623,340.66
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	16,430.92
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	94,100.25
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	8,483.30
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$3,639,064.49
Other liabilities	10,506.39
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	$3,649,570.88

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capitol*	129,500.00
Surplus	30,500.00
Undivided profits	32,015.53
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	44,300.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	236,315.53
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$3,885,886.41

*This bank's capital consists of:
Capital notes and debentures of $92,000.00
Common stock with total par value of $37,500.00.

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	$ 167,000.00

I, William B. Yates, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM B. YATES, Treasurer.

CORRECT—Attest:
RUDOLPH NICKEL
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Directors.

State of Maryland, County of Allegany, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of January, 1948, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

My Commission expires May 2, 1949.

EDNA J. SPITNAS, Notary Public.

Advertisement—N-Jan. 8.

Committees Are Named By Barton Ladies Auxiliary

By DAVID E. KIRK

BARTON—Mrs. Mollie Kiddy, president of the Ladies Auxiliary of Barton Post No. 189, American Legion, appointed committees Monday evening in the Legion home.

Appointments included Mrs. Virginia Gannon, ways and means; Mrs. Louise Footen, child welfare; Mrs. Ruth Shuhart, radio; Mrs. Phyllis Howell, rehabilitation; Mrs. Kathleen Nesbit, membership; Mrs. Louise Lamberson, community service; Mrs. Laura Shuhart, poppy; Miss Elsie Wilson, cradle roll; Mrs. Allega Kimble, publicity; Mrs. Martha Kirk, Americanism; Mrs. Alma Clark, Pan-American; Mrs. Madaline Miller, legislative; and Mrs Elsie Neilson, National Defense.

Donate To Health Center

The Parent-Teacher Association of Barton High School voted to donate $10 to the Westernport Health Center at the regular meeting held Tuesday evening at the school.

Cecil Metz, president, presided and made a report on the National Association held in Baltimore in December, Metz represented the Allegany County Delegation.

A committee comprised of James Chappell, chairman; Timothy Conroy, Paul Footen, Mrs. Margaret Frenzel and Mrs. Aanne Dash was named to conduct a benefit quiz program in February.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served by the committee in charge.

Brief Mention

The Presby Club of the Presbyterian Church has postponed a meeting scheduled for Friday night for an indefinite period, Mrs. Helen Kroll, president, announces.

A meeting of Allegany County teachers will be held at Allegany High School, Cumberland, Friday at 2:30 p. m. School will be dismissed at 1:15 p. m., Alfred H. Benna, principal, stated.

Personals

Miss Emma Lowery and Miss Christiana M. Kirk, Cumberland, visited in Florida during the Christmas and New Years holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lashbaugh are visiting in Calumet City, Ill., at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Czarnecki, who announce the birth of a son on January 2.

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Carl Neder Is Elected President Of Mt. Savage Volunteer Firemen

Delegates Named To Convention

By MRS. ROSE O'ROURKE

MT. SAVAGE—Carl Neder was elected president of the Mt. Savage Volunteer Fire Company at the annual election of officers Tuesday evening. Other officers are:

Frank McDermitt, vice-president; Eugene Martin, secretary; Joseph Crowe, treasurer; Joseph Carter, chief. Trustees are Arthur Neder, Joseph Green, Harry Green, John Graham and Charles Walters.

Delegates to conventions, Eugene Martin, Grover Green, Harry Green, Harry Long and Paul Geatz. Alternates, George Crump, Ebert Aldridge, John Harden, Charles Gordon and Charles King.

Eastern Star Installs

Rebecca Arnold Chapter No. 57, Order of the Eastern Star, installed officers Tuesday evening in the Junior Order Hall.

The installation was followed by a social hour. The installing officer was Mrs. Mary Koontz. Installing marshall, Mrs. Margaret Goldsworthy. Mrs. Anna Edmunds, Frostburg, installing chaplain. Mrs. Emily Wilson, organist.

The officials for the ensuing year are Mrs. Clara Campbell, worthy matron; Robert Pollock, worthy patron; Mrs. Evelyn Coberly, associate matron; Mrs. Claudia Voit, secretary; Miss Laverne Uhl, treasurer; Mrs. Elizabeth Jenkins, conductress; Mrs. Margaret Crow, associate conductress; Mrs. Mary Koontz, marshal; Mrs Clara Shank, chaplain; Miss Lola Lewis, organinst.

Star points, Mrs. Mary J. Pollock, Ada; Mrs. Genevieve House, Ruth; Mrs. Lillie Neder, Esther; Mrs. Margaret Goldsworthy, Martha; Mrs. Cora Pollock, Electo; Mrs. Ruth Arnold, warder and Mrs. Mary E. Pollock, sentinel.

Mrs. Mary Davis, secretary to the Mountain Chapter, was a guest.

Willing Workers Meet

The Filling Workers Circle of the Mt. Savage Methodist Church held its annual party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Mildred Sine.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Lee H. Richcreek—the topic was "Looking Ahead."

Mrs. Richcreek gave two vocal numbers accompanied by Miss Naoma Lashley at the piano.

Other guests included Mrs. June Hughes, Mrs. William Williams, Mrs. Tillie Kirby, Mrs. Mandy Rizer, Mrs. Maud Holsinger, Mrs. Mazie Lashley, Mrs. Edna Witt, Miss Evelyn Winebrenner, Miss Ula Frankenberry, Miss Jeanne Witt, Misses Mabel and Naoma Sine.

Refreshments were served. Mrs. Mildred Sine was hostess and gifts were exchanged. The next meeting will be at the Methodist parsonage with Mrs. Lee H. Richcreek hostess.

Sportsmen To Meet

A meeting has been called for Monday Jan. 12—at 7:30 p. m. in the Firemen's Hall—for all sportsmen of the Mt. Savage area interested in forming a sportsmen's club.

Joseph Minke, regional game warden, will be present and will show pictures of hunting and fishing in New England states.

Brief Items

The Hygiene Health Clinic will be held at the Mt. Savage Community Building Friday at 10 a. m.

Mrs. George Rizer is a surgical patient in Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Robert Jenkins and infant son have returned from Memorial Hospital.

Harry Shank has returned from Baltimore where he attended the banquet for the out-going President Brown and the new president, Eugene Williams of the Western Maryland Railway Company.

Mrs. Howard Herring is improving at her home on Main Street.

Frank Griffith continues seriously ill at his home on Railroad Street.

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Mrs. Weston, 91, Frostburg, Is Taken By Death

Funeral Service To Be Held Saturday

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG—Mrs. Mary Lewis Weston, 91, a resident of Frostburg for many years, died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at her home, 102 Maple Street. She had been in failing health for the past four years.

Born in Eckhart, Mrs. Weston was a daughter of the late William and Ann Lewis. Her husband, James Weston, mine superintendent for the old Consolidation Coal Company, died in 1930.

Following his death, Mrs. Weston resided with her son-in-law and daughter, Col. and Mrs. G. M. Mayer, at various Army posts in Texas, Puerto Rico and Colorado. After Col. Mayer's death at Fort Logan, Colo., December 23, 1944, Mrs. Weston and her daughter returned to Frostburg to reside.

Besides her daughter, Mrs. Weston is survived by one sister, Mrs. Fred Domdera, Accident; and two brothers, Thomas Lewis, Eckhart, and Abe Lewis, Cumberland.

A funeral service will be held Saturday afternoon. Other arrangements are incomplete. The body will remain at the home.

Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Rephann, Eckhart, announce the marriage of their daughter, Doris Rosella, to Elmer Leroy Kroll, Lonaconing, son of Mrs. Edith Kroll and the late John Henry Kroll.

The ceremony was performed Christmas Day in the parsonage of Eckhart Methodist Church, with Rev. Charles H. Mead, pastor, officiating. Their only attendant was Mrs. Charles H. Mead.

The bride is employed as a bookkeeper for the Cement Products Company in Cumberland. Mr. Kroll is an employe of the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company.

The couple will reside in Lonaconing.

Layman Re-elected

Woodrow Layman, local hardware merchant, was re-elected chief of the Frostburg Fire Department at the annual election of officers Tuesday evening. Others elected to serve with him were John D. Keller, president; Thomas Rank, vice president; William E. Close, secretary, and Alvin Rankin, treasurer.

Those elected to serve on the standing committee were James McGuire, Thomas Kerr, Evan Lloyd, James Roy Sleeman and Robert Stewart.

Delegates named to represent the department at the annual convention of the Maryland State Volunteer Firemen's Association in Ocean City in June were Arch Baker, Woodrow Layman, Alvin Rankin, Florian Nickel and William Wilderman. City Commissioner Jesse Jacobs was elected chaplain and William Wilderman was chosen sergeant-at-arms.

Frostburg Briefs

A novel ceremony was held in the Eagle building yesterday afternoon when Guy Mallow, worthy president of Frostburg Aerie, No. 1273, Fraternal Order of Eagles, presented Mayor Marshall C. Skidmore with a special marked copy of Collier's Magazine, which will be on sale Friday, January 9, containing a 5,000-word feature story about the Fraternal Order of Eagles under the title "Human Eagles," written by Wade H. Nichols and Ike Vern.

The Young Men's Republican Club Auxiliary will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the club rooms, East Main Street. Hostesses will be Mrs. Hazel Robertson, Mrs. Mildred Craze and Mrs. Sara Dolder.

Frostburg Personals

A. C. Hott, 279 East Main Street, left Tuesday by plane for Grand Pass, Oregon, to visit his father, William Hott, who is seriously ill.

Pvt. Wayne LaRue has returned to Fort Bragg, N. C., after spending an eight-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard LaRue, 34 Mechanic Street.

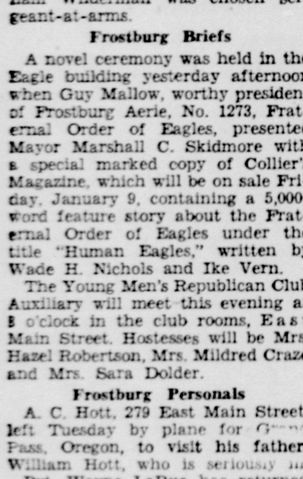
John Ware has returned to Memphis, Tenn., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ware, Welsh Hill.

J. Glenn Beall has returned to Yale University, New Haven, Conn., after spending the holidays with his parents, Congressman and Mrs. J. Glenn Beall.

Harry Keller has returned to St. Louis, Mo., after spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Emma Keller, Wood Street.

Miss Anne Engle has resumed her teaching position after spending the holidays here with the Misses Elizabeth and Teresa Donahue, East Main Street.

Miss Mary Moody, R. N., has resumed her duties on the nursing staff of Mercy Hospital, Baltimore, after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. William Moody, Welsh Street.



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Brief News Notes From Midland

By PEARL BLAIR

MIDLAND—The Midland firemen were called to the home of Harry Smith on Davis Corner Tuesday at 5:30 to extinguish a flue fire.

Personal

Relatives attending the funeral of Paul DeVore Tuesday afternoon in Westernport were Mrs. Elijah McKenzie, Mrs. Clifford Knippenberg, Mrs. James Blair, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Knippenberg and daughter Helen, Cresaptown; Mrs. Eli Frye and daughter Jennie Lee Poland and John McKenzie, Lonaconing.

Helbig Pays $10 Fine On Reckless Driving Charge

By JUNE B. ROLLEY

KEYSER, W. Va.—Gene C. Helbig, 20, Deer Park, pleaded guilty to the charge of reckless driving, and was fined $10 and costs at a hearing before Justice of the Peace Madalyn Bazzle Wednesday afternoon.

Helbig was charged with driving on the wrong side of the road when his car struck a truck driven by Lowell Rogers, Burlington, just beyond Knobley Hill, late Monday afternoon.

State Trooper Frank Bowley and Corporal R. R. Karickhoff made the investigation.

Farm Bureau Meets

Robert Pitts, of the West Virginia Farm Bureau, was guest at the Annual Membership Conference of the Mineral County Farm Bureau held a recent evening at the office of J. E. Prettyman, county agricultural agent. Mr. Pitts addressed the group, stressing the importance of a strong membership. Problems relative to the State and National Farm Bureau Organization were also discussed.

Leonard Sites, membership chairman, who presided at the meeting, reported that 128 members have paid their dues for 1948. He urged that farmers cooperate by paying their dues.

Plans for the annual dinner meeting of the Mineral County Farm Bureau were discussed. The dinner meeting is to be held at the Burlington School, Friday evening, January 23, 6:30 o'clock. It was announced that an effort will be made to have the membership drive completed at this time.

Those attending the conference were H. N. Bosley, S. S. Smith, Lawrence Idleman, E. J. Pritts, C. I. Homan, L. B. Feaster, Charles M. Taylor, J. W. Carskadon, Jr., Garland Ebert, Clyde Bonar, J. R. Stickley, Ervin Bane, James O. Taylor, J. E. Prettyman.

Mrs. Simmons Dies

Mrs. Marion Frances Simmons, 61, died Tuesday night at her home, 317 South Main Street, after an illness of two years.

A native of Mineral County, she was a daughter of the late Joseph Hodges and Annie Rine Hodges. She was a member of the Evangelical United Brethren Church, Rebekah Lodge of IOOF, Royal Neighbors and Daughters of America.

Mrs. Simmons is survived by her husband, L. D. Simmons; two daughters, Mrs. Lois Hull and Mrs. Georgia Grubbs, both of Keyser; a son, Earl Simmons, Keyser; three sisters, Mrs. Ella Moran, Mrs. Harry Eagle and Mrs. Vernon Rotruck, all of Keyser, and a brother, N. J. Hodges, also of Keyser.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Evangelical United Brethren Church Friday at 2 p. m. by Rev. L. G. Bridges, pastor. Interment will be in Queens Point Cemetery.

Will Hold Clinic

The monthly Mineral County Cancer Detection Center and Diagnostic Clinic, under the direction of Dr. Robert Coffman, will be held at the Potomac Valley Hospital, Wednesday, January 14, 2 p. m. Dr. Wilbur Steward, Chief Pathologist of the General Hospital, Baltimore, Md., will be consultant.

Only persons having referral slips from their family doctor will be admitted to receive examination, Dr. Coffman said. There will be no charge for the examination.

Conducts Revival

Evangelist Myrtle Scott, of Philadelphia, Pa., is conducting a revival at the Pentecostal Church, West Piedmont Street, Keyser, during the month of January. Services are not held on Monday nights.

Can't Solicit In Stores

Solicitation of funds by the Volunteers of America, represented by gray-clad women carrying tambourines, will not be allowed in places of business in Keyser, the Business and Professional Association decided at a meeting this week.

The V. of A. usually appeared in Keyser on Saturdays and pay days, it was pointed out by Edgell L. Grayson, president. Funds may be sought on the streets, but effective immediately, the solicitors must stay out of business establishments, Mr. Grayson said.

It was also decided that solicitation in stores in the future will be allowed only when signed cards are issued by a special committee of Association members. Grayson explained that cards will not be denied those organizations whose cause is believed to be a worthy one.

Attorney Howard Shores, Attorney Emery Tyler and John I. Rogers were appointed a committee to work with the Lions Club in its efforts to have Route 220 relocated.

The regular Association meeting date has been set for the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p. m. in the office of the Potomac Light and Power Company, Main Street.

Want Road Relocated

At the meeting of the Mayor and City Council Tuesday afternoon it was voted to give aid to the Keyser Lions Club in their efforts to have Route 220 relocated from Keyser to Petersburg by way of Laurel Dale and Scheer. The route now parallels with Route 50 from New Creek to Junction.

Judge Ernest A. See, chairman of the Lions Club committee on the road project, requested the help of the City Council in a letter. Judge See pointed out in his letter that 10 miles could be saved from Keyser to Petersburg if the road is relocated in addition to providing a better road.

It was also decided to name a committee of interested citizens, preferably with experience in municipal affairs, to work with the council in adopting a home rule charter. The committee is to be named at the next council meeting.

Mrs. Miller Dies

Mrs. Cora M. Miller, 67, widow of David J. Miller, Greenland, Grant County, W. Va., died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sylvia Horn, Urbana, Ill.

She was a lifelong resident of Grant County, a daughter of the late David and Sarah Smith.

Also surviving are the following children: Miss Fannie Criswell, Columbus, Ga.; Mrs. Charles Beyers, Keyser; Mrs. Theresa Bittorf, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Dorothy Cash, Flynn, Tex.; Mrs. Marilyn Allason, Caruthersville, Mo.; Mrs. Marjorie Miller, Champagne, Ill., and Miss Viola Miller, at home.

One sister, Mrs. Sarah Wolf, Kempton; a brother, Louis Smith, Flats, W. Va., 29 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

A funeral service will be held Friday at 11:30 a. m. at the home in Greenland and burial will be in the family cemetery near Old Fields, W. Va.

Pythian Sisters Install

Retiring Chancellor Commander, C. M. Chilcoat, of the Knights of Pythias, and Mrs. Pauline Martin, president of the Pythian Sisters, presided at the joint installation of officers of Olive Brance Lodge No. 25 and Olive Temple No. 59 at the Castle Hall, Tuesday night.

Officers installed for the Knights were F. C. Kimmell, Chancellor Commander; W. F. Anderson, vice chancellor; C. M. Chilcoat, master at works; Richard Sanders, prelate; Charles Llewellyn, master at arms; R. L. Fisher, inner guard, and H. O. Snider, outer guard.

Past Chancellor Commander Coyd Yost was installing officer. He was assisted by J. B. Reese and H. B. Montgomery.

Pythian Sisters officers installed by Mrs. Bernice Mixon, Mrs. Otie Neville, Miss Anne Leary and Miss Maude Rice, were Mrs. Pauline Martin, past chief; Mrs. Lora Tranton, excellent chief; Mrs. Birdie Hixenbaugh, excellent senior; Mrs. Hazel Adams, excellent junior; Mrs. Sadie Maine, manager; Mrs. Madge Bright, mistress of records and correspondence; Miss Frances Davis, mistress of finance; Mrs. Lucille Spotts, protector; Mrs. Hazel Boyd, guard; Mrs. Violet Brown, trustee; Miss Anne Leary, press correspondent; Miss Maude Rice, representative; Mrs. Otie Neville, alternate, and Miss Maude Rice, pianist.

F. C. Kimmel was in charge of refreshments.

Trenter Is Sentenced

Clarence "Bud" Trenter was given a sentence of 30 days on the city streets Wednesday morning when he appeared before City Judge A. A. Jordan on a charge of being drunk.

It was the third time within a week that Trenter had been taken before Judge Jordan on charges of being drunk.

Brief Items

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heishman, New Creek, at the Potomac Valley Hospital, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster D. Harrison of McCoole, have returned from Washington where they visited their daughter, Wilma, who is a patient at the Sibley Hospital.

Harry Hendrickson is ill at his home in Purgittsville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Minnich announce the birth of a daughter at the Potomac Valley Hospital, Tuesday.

Recent admissions to the local hospital include William Wagoner, Keyser; Juanita Moreland, Mt. Storm, and Mrs. Jennie Pattison, Bloomington.

Universal Prayer Service Set For Coney Tonight

By MARIE MERRBACH

LONACONING—Universal Prayer meeting will be held this evening at the First Presbyterian Church with the Ladies' Bible Class of the church in charge.

A special program of music has been arranged.

The Past Chiefs of Morning Star Temple No. 1, Pythian Sisters, will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Knights of Pythias hall, Union Street, to elect officers.

Hostesses will be Mae Matthews, Jennie Smith, Martha Eichhorn and Ella Braznell.

Meeting Is Called

A meeting has been called by Morgan Riley, chairman of the March of Dimes in this vicinity, for tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the James P. Love Post No. 92 home on Jackson street.

All persons wanting to assist in this drive are asked to attend along with representatives of the various organizations in the community.

Brief Items

Red Cross home nursing class will meet Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the Red Cross Center, Main Street.

Installation of officers of Morning Star Temple No. 1, Pythian Sisters, will be held Monday at 8 p. m. in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Union Street. Miss Catherine Stevenson will be installing officer, with Edith Holder and Nellie Miller assisting.

Detmold Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor a bake sale on Friday at Lee Clark's market, Main Street.

Fireman First Class William Smith of Norfolk, Va., was home for the weekend. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, East Main Street.

Morgan Riley was elected first vice-commander; John Dunn, chairman of trustees; and Harry Salada, chairman, at an election held at James P. Love Post No. 92, American Legion, Tuesday evening.

Demonstration Will Be Given In Whole Meal Cooking At Piedmont

Each Guest Will Receive Souvenir

By GEORGE DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT—A demonstration in whole meal cooking, time saving tips and short cuts will be given by Miss Jane Marshall, home service director of the Cumberland and Allegany Gas Company at the January meeting of the Piedmont Parent - Teachers Association this evening at the high school.

Free receipt sheets will be given out and also a small souvenir for each guest.

Eagles To Meet

A District meeting of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will be held Sunday 2 p. m. at the home of Piedmont Aerie No. 707, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Martinsburg and Davis Aeries are expected to be represented.

Club Will Meet

The January meeting of the Social Welfare Club will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the firemen's room of the Westernport City Building.

Reports on the sale of Christmas trees will be made at the meeting of the Westernport and Luke Lions Club today 6:30 p. m. at the Westernport Service Center.

Returns To School

Miss Frances Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Wright, Vine Street, Westernport, has returned to school at Baltimore, after undergoing an operation on one of her eyes at Episcopal Hospital, Washington.

Petry Will Speak

Jack Petry, member of the Bruce High School faculty, Westernport, will discuss "The Parents Part In Guidance" at the January meeting this evening of the Piedmont Woman's Club at the Piedmont Library.

A musical program will be under the supervision of Herman Dash, music teacher at Bruce. Mrs. Vernon A. Staggers will be in charge. Refreshments will be served.

Dodge Rites

A service for James S. Dodge, 77, retired farmer, who died Monday at the home of his son, Earl D. Dodge, Philos Avenue, Extended, Westernport, will be held at his former home in Garrett County near Thayersville, tomorrow 1 p. m.

Rev. Clarence Fraker, pastor of the Evangelical United Brethren Church, McHenry will officiate. Interment will be in the cemetery at Addison, Pa. The body will be taken to his home at Thayersville today.

Pythian Sisters Install

Recent elected officers of Calanthe Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters, Piedmont, were installed Monday night by Mrs. Novella Davis, a past chief.

The officers include; Mrs. Margaret Harvey, most excellent chief; Mrs. Nora Wilt, excellent senior; Mrs. Virginia McKenzie, excellent junior; Mrs. Anna Codire, manager; Mrs. Olive Clabaugh, mistress of records and correspondence; Mrs. Delsie Dawson, mistress of finance; Mrs. Elva Pence, protector; Mrs. Phyllis Greenhorn, guard; Mrs. Vivion McKenzie, press correspondent; Mrs. Hattie Wheeler, representative to the grand temple; Mrs. Rose Schade, alternate; Mrs. Della Love, captain of the degree team, and Mrs. Daisy Keller, pianist.

A class of candidates were initiated before the insallation of the officers. Refreshments were served.

Arnold Circle Meets

The Marguerite Arnold Circle met recently at the home of Mrs. Donald McDombs.

A quiz on chapter 14 and 15 of the Book of John was conducted by Mrs. John Kalbaugh, with Mrs. Norman Baughman, high scorer for the Reds and Mrs. Ray Hartman, high scorer for the blues. The Blues are leading the Reds with an average of 44.0 to 40.3.

A letter from Mrs. Joseph Bowley, a member of the circle, who is visiting at her home in England, was read by Mrs. Frank Fisher.

Mrs. Bruce Cave and Mrs. Jean Stuzman were introduced as new members. Mrs. John Kalbaugh was assistant hostess. The February meeting will be held with Mrs. Paul Samuels, Piedmont.

Masons Install Officers

A. Wayne Reed, district grand lecturer and Louis W. Hicks, district grand inspector installed and invested the recent elected officers of Hiram Lodge No. 103, A. F. & A. M., Westernport, Tuesday evening. Past Master C. Albert Beck, acted as marshal.

The officers include; Ora E. Brinkman, worshipful master; Robert W. Gerfin, senior warden; Carl W. Shaffer, junior warden; Louis W. Hicks, secretary; Orin P. Maxwell, treasurer; Homer L. Michael, senior deacon; Paul J. Uber, junior deacon; John W. Cox, senior steward; W. Howard Peyton, junior stewart and Earl G. Hawk, tyler.

The retiring master Evan E. Dewitt, was presented the Past Masters jewel by Past Master Ray L. Wilt.

Officers Are Installed

The recent elected officers of Potomac Fire Company No. 2, were installed Tuesday night in the firemen's room of the Westernport City Building by William Kolberg, a past president.

Officers include; Patrick Mills, president; Harry Hackett, vice-president; Victor Keller, financial secretary; John P. Wills, recording secretary; The Rev. G. Stanley Schwind, chaplain; Gerald Harrison, treasurer; William Mayles, chief; Claude Kight, captain and Richard Lambertson, sergeant-at-arms.

Plan Card Party

At the meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association, held Tuesday night at the Luke School with Mrs. Virgil Raines presiding, plans were made for a card party to be held Monday Jan. 19. Bridge, "500" and setback will be played.

William G. Fatkin, principal of the school, expressed the thanks of the faculty and student body for a duplicator and accessories which the P. T. A. donated to the school, which was on display at the meeting.

Mrs. Calvin Combs, presented a pair of hand made pillow cases to the P. T. A. to be used as the association might see fit in raising funds.

The kitchen was inspected by Mrs. Raines and J. Guthrie Luke, II, with a view to improving it for better use in preparing for food sales and providing refreshments at the meetings.

It was announced that a square dance would be held next month.

Miss Anne Sloan, Lonaconing, has been invited to speak at the next meeting, Tuesday evening, Feb. 3.

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For recovery of Male, brown and white Dog. Lost on Savage Mountain. Dog was wearing a collar and bell. James Herrbach, Lonaconing, Md.
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BANK STATEMENT

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIDELITY SAVINGS BANK OF FROSTBURG, ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND OF FROSTBURG IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1947.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	$ 544,962.01
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,681,237.49
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	9,818.96
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	59,896.50
Corporate stocks (including $ None stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including $38.14 overdrafts)	1,547,971.45
Bank premises owned $33,000.00, furniture and fixtures $3,000.00	36,000.00
(Bank premises owned are subject to $ None liens not assumed by bank)	
TOTAL ASSETS	$3,885,886.41

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	896,709.36
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,623,340.66
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	16,430.92
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	94,100.25
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	8,483.30
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$3,639,064.49
Other liabilities	10,506.39
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	$3,649,570.88

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capitol*	129,500.00
Surplus	30,500.00
Undivided profits	32,015.53
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	44,300.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	236,315.53
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$3,885,886.41

*This bank's capital consists of:
Capital notes and debentures of $92,000.00
Common stock with total par value of $37,500.00.

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Committees Are Named By Barton Ladies Auxiliary

By DAVID E. KIRK

BARTON—Mrs. Mollie Kiddy, president of the Ladies Auxiliary of Barton Post No. 189, American Legion, appointed committees Monday evening in the Legion home.

Appointments included Mrs. Virginia Gannon, ways and means; Mrs. Louise Footen, child welfare; Mrs. Ruth Shuhart, radio; Mrs. Phyllis Howell, rehabilitation; Mrs. Kathleen Nesbit, membership; Mrs. Louise Lamberson, community service; Mrs. Laura Shuhart, poppy; Miss Elsie Wilson, cradle roll; Mrs. Allega Kimble, publicity; Mrs. Martha Kirk, Americanism; Mrs. Alma Clark, Pan-American; Mrs. Madaline Miller, legislative; and Mrs Elsie Neilson, National Defense.

Donate To Health Center

The Parent-Teacher Association of Barton High School voted to donate $10 to the Westernport Health Center at the regular meeting held Tuesday evening at the school.

Cecil Metz, president, presided and made a report on the National Association held in Baltimore in December, Metz represented the Allegany County Delegation.

A committee comprised of James Chappell, chairman; Timothy Conroy, Paul Footen, Mrs. Margaret Frenzel and Mrs. Aanne Dash was named to conduct a benefit quiz program in February.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served by the committee in charge.

Brief Mention

The Presby Club of the Presbyterian Church has postponed a meeting scheduled for Friday night for an indefinite period, Mrs. Helen Kroll, president, announces.

A meeting of Allegany County teachers will be held at Allegany High School, Cumberland, Friday at 2:30 p. m. School will be dismissed at 1:15 p. m., Alfred H. Benna, principal, stated.

Personals

Miss Emma Lowery and Miss Christiana M. Kirk, Cumberland, visited in Florida during the Christmas and New Years holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lashbaugh are visiting in Calumet City, Ill., at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Czarnecki, who announce the birth of a son on January 2.

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Delegates Named To Convention

By MRS. ROSE O'ROURKE

MT. SAVAGE—Carl Neder was elected president of the Mt. Savage Volunteer Fire Company at the annual election of officers Tuesday evening. Other officers are:

Frank McDermitt, vice-president; Eugene Martin, secretary; Joseph Crowe, treasurer; Joseph Carter, chief. Trustees are Arthur Neder, Joseph Green, Harry Green, John Graham and Charles Walters.

Delegates to conventions, Eugene Martin, Grover Green, Harry Green, Harry Long and Paul Geatz. Alternates, George Crump, Ebert Aldridge, John Harden, Charles Gordon and Charles King.

Eastern Star Installs

Rebecca Arnold Chapter No. 57, Order of the Eastern Star, installed officers Tuesday evening in the Junior Order Hall.

The installation was followed by a social hour. The installing officer was Mrs. Mary Koontz. Installing marshall, Mrs. Margaret Goldsworthy. Mrs. Anna Edmunds, Frostburg, installing chaplain. Mrs. Emily Wilson, organist.

The officials for the ensuing year are Mrs. Clara Campbell, worthy matron; Robert Pollock, worthy patron; Mrs. Evelyn Coberly, associate matron; Mrs. Claudia Voit, secretary; Miss Laverne Uhl, treasurer; Mrs. Elizabeth Jenkins, conductress; Mrs. Margaret Crow, associate conductress; Mrs. Mary Koontz, marshal; Mrs Clara Shank, chaplain; Miss Lola Lewis, organinst.

Star points, Mrs. Mary J. Pollock, Ada; Mrs. Genevieve House, Ruth; Mrs. Lillie Neder, Esther; Mrs. Margaret Goldsworthy, Martha; Mrs. Cora Pollock, Electo; Mrs. Ruth Arnold, warder and Mrs. Mary E. Pollock, sentinel.

Mrs. Mary Davis, secretary to the Mountain Chapter, was a guest.

Willing Workers Meet

The Filling Workers Circle of the Mt. Savage Methodist Church held its annual party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Mildred Sine.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Lee H. Richcreek—the topic was "Looking Ahead."

Mrs. Richcreek gave two vocal numbers accompanied by Miss Naoma Lashley at the piano.

Other guests included Mrs. June Hughes, Mrs. William Williams, Mrs. Tillie Kirby, Mrs. Mandy Rizer, Mrs. Maud Holsinger, Mrs. Mazie Lashley, Mrs. Edna Witt, Miss Evelyn Winebrenner, Miss Ula Frankenberry, Miss Jeanne Witt, Misses Mabel and Naoma Sine.

Refreshments were served. Mrs. Mildred Sine was hostess and gifts were exchanged. The next meeting will be at the Methodist parsonage with Mrs. Lee H. Richcreek hostess.

Sportsmen To Meet

A meeting has been called for Monday Jan. 12—at 7:30 p. m. in the Firemen's Hall—for all sportsmen of the Mt. Savage area interested in forming a sportsmen's club.

Joseph Minke, regional game warden, will be present and will show pictures of hunting and fishing in New England states.

Brief Items

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Mrs. George Rizer is a surgical patient in Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Robert Jenkins and infant son have returned from Memorial Hospital.

Harry Shank has returned from Baltimore where he attended the banquet for the out-going President Brown and the new president, Eugene Williams of the Western Maryland Railway Company.

Mrs. Howard Herring is improving at her home on Main Street.

Frank Griffith continues seriously ill at his home on Railroad Street.

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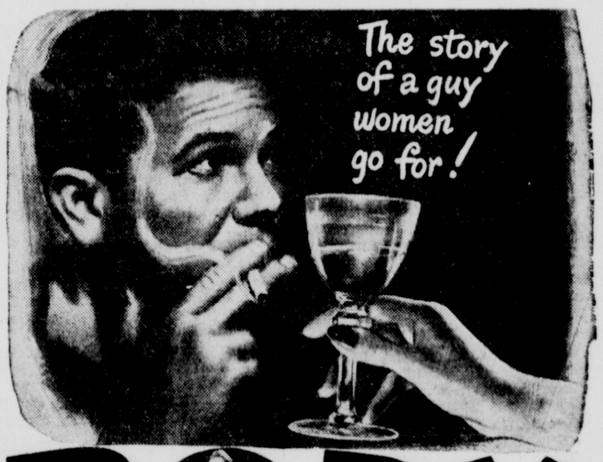

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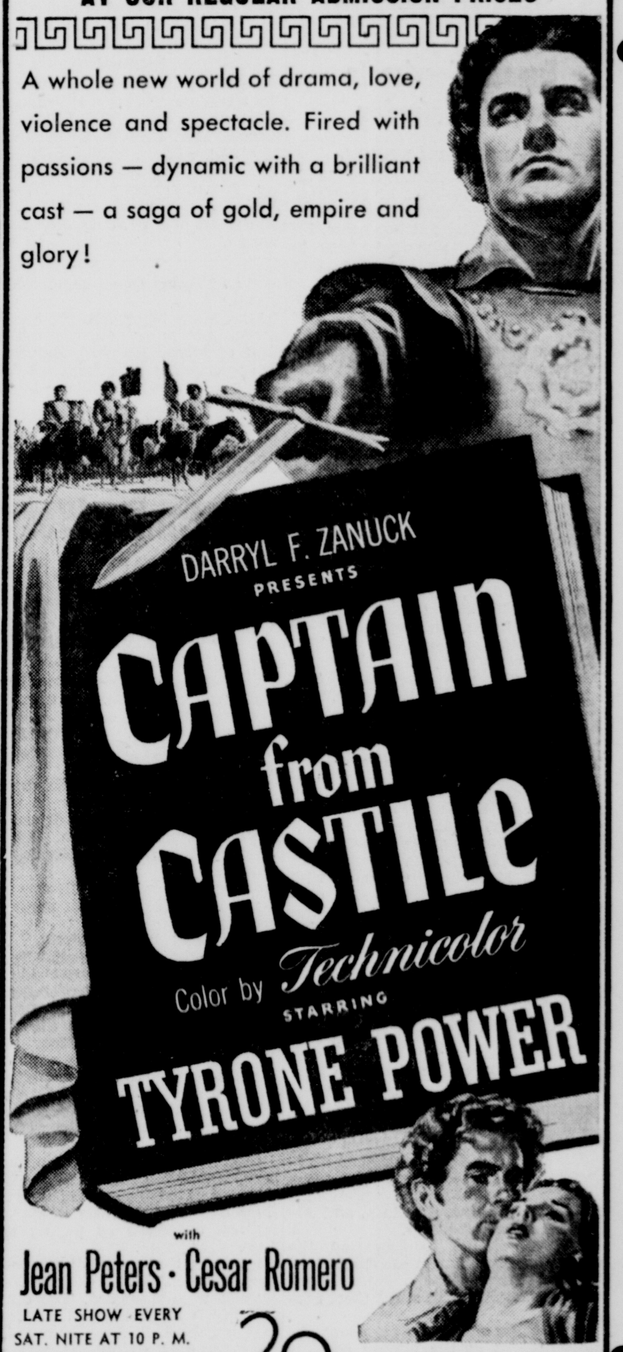
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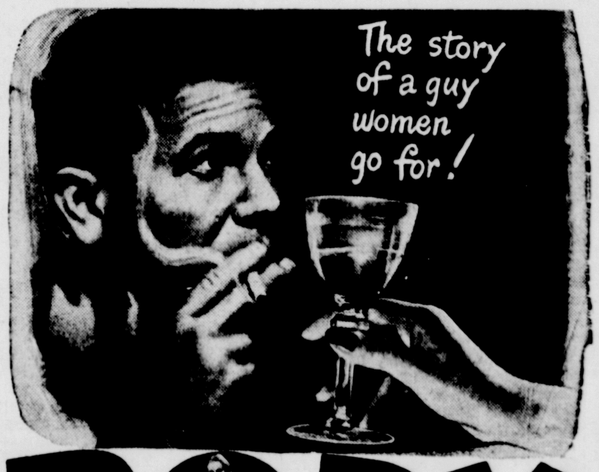

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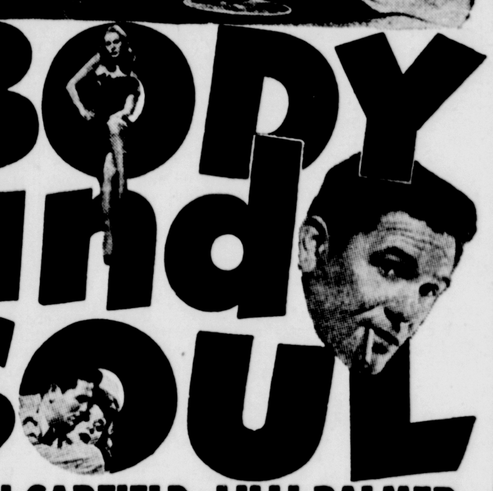

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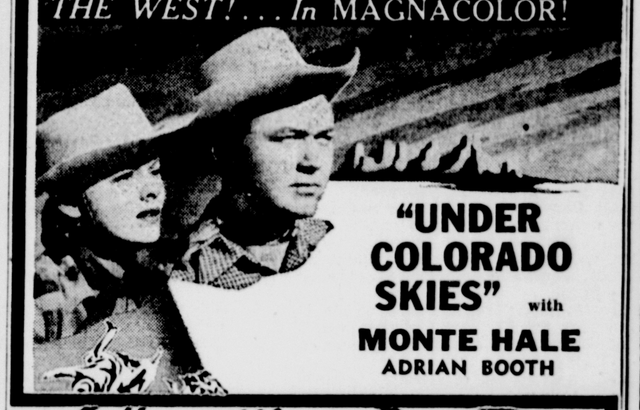

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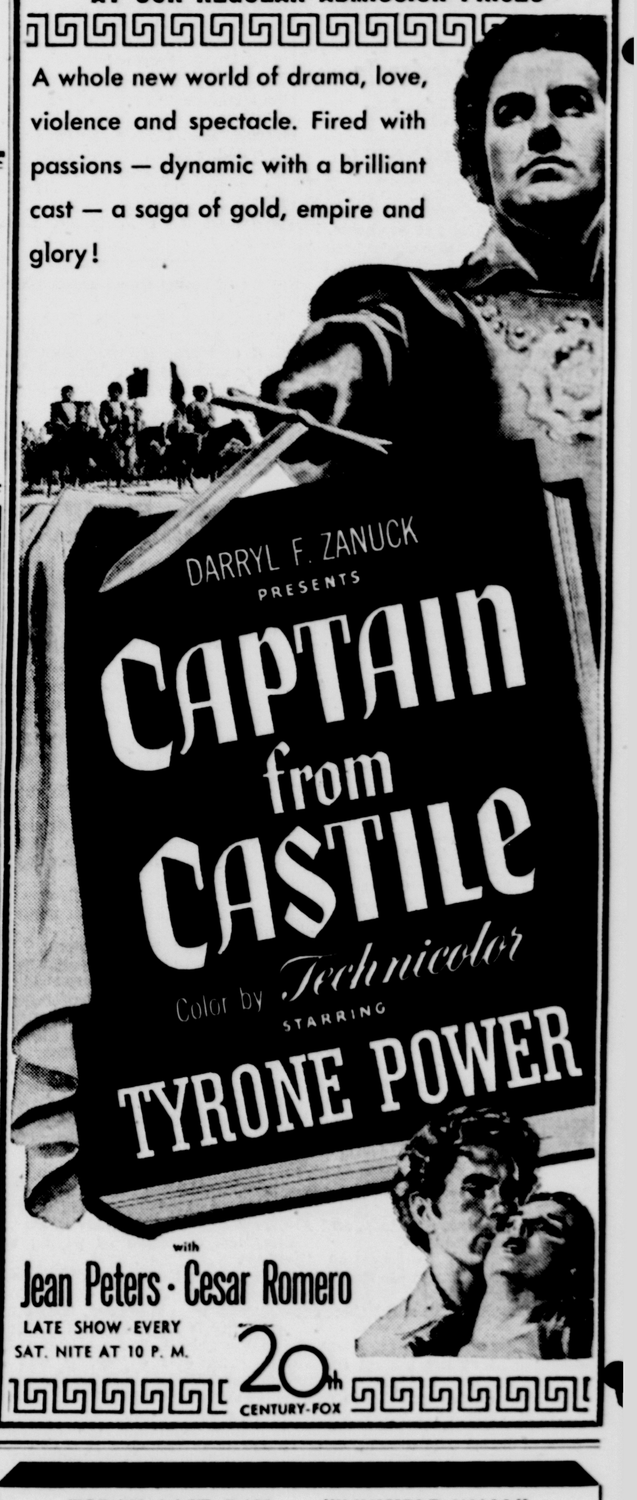

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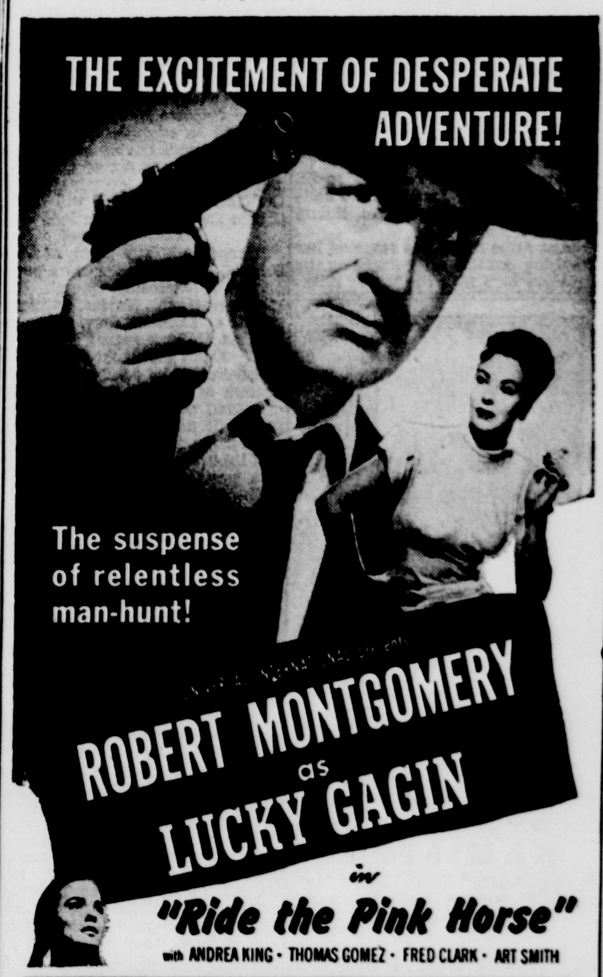

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4:30 Lorenzo Jones (NBC).
4:45 Young Widder Brown (NBC).
5:00 Jive at Five.
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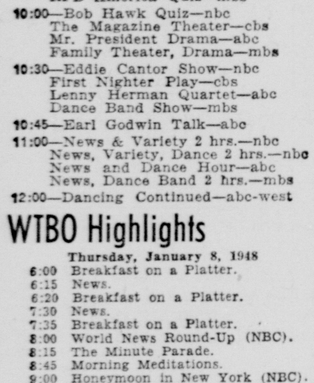

"I don't know the name of the fish I want, but my husband calls it 'One-Eyed Conley.'"

RADIO IN REVIEW

By JOHN CROSBY

A Wheelchair Built for Two

Lined up back-to-back on N.B.C. from 10:30 a. m. EST to 11:15 are three soap operas all concerned with doctors and nurses and patients and hospitals in which love, to put it midly, runs rampant. Is it any wonder I'm confused? Soap opera requires no vast powers of concentration but these three soap operas demand an extraordinarily tidy and capacious mind to keep the events and characters of one from getting mixed up with the other two. The three are "Nora Drake" (the story seen through the window of a woman's heart, the story of a woman loved by three men and rejected by the man she loves), "Road of Life" and "Joyce Jordan, M. D."

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Now if everyone will just remain calm, I'll try to straighten them all out. Nora Drake is a nurse who loves and is loved by young Dr. Ken Martinson, who doesn't let his love for Nora stand in the way of his marriage to rich, arrogant, sexy Peggy King. Everyone straight on that? Joyce Jordan, M. D.—they introduce her that way on the program, "Joyce, like you to meet Joe Doakes. Joe, Joyce Jordan, M. D."—is in love with Dawson Blakeley who loves her madly and, naturally, tries to break the thing off. (He doesn't want her—that way.) Now, sir! "Road of Life!" Dr. Jim Brent is greatly loved by his assistant, Maggie Lowell, but she can't do anything about it because he's married to Carol, who is carrying on with Alec Ransome, who is up to no good.

That is just part of the cast involved in forty-five consecutive minutes in three separate stories with at least two dozen minor plots.

Let's pick up the story of Nora Drake, couching it in the curious dialect of soap opera. Thus. Ever since Ken Martinson broke his engagement to her and married Peggy King, and ever since Rose, the head nurse, collapsed and almost died, and particularly since rich, nasty, old Mr. King has been trying to get her fired from the hospital, Nora has been worried. (For the connoisseur of understatement, soap opera is a rich field. You run into this sort of explanation all the time. "Ever since Bill went blind and the mortgage was foreclosed, Bella has been upset." Or—and this is an actual case—"Ever since she woke up to find the crib empty and her baby gone, Fay has been acting strange.")

As our story opens, we find rich Mr. King talking to kindly old Dr. Jensen. King is volunteering to build a new, $100,000 wing on the hospital if kindly, old Dr. Jensen will fire Nora Drake. "I want Nora Drake fired," says King, "answer at five o'clock." Five o'clock. Answer. "No!" We switch hurriedly to "Joyce Jordan, M. D." Her beloved Dawson Blakely has been in a plane crash. He will never walk again. As if that weren't enough, Brett Martin, Joyce's worst enemy, tries to slip her a dose of poison, but gets her signals mixed and slips it instead to Ernest, Joyce's foster son (or somebody's foster son. I can't quite figure out who Ernest belongs to.) Then Brett—she's a woman, by the way—swoons.

On we go to "Road of Life." Well, sir, Dr. Jim Brent's wife, Carol, swings her umbrella in a moment of passion in the laboratory where her husband is studying the dread Island Fever. The umbrella knocks over a test tube, spreading Island Fever all over the place. And now—to speed up the pace—back to Nora Drake. Rose, the stricken head nurse, is telling Nora how HER romance was blighted. Her lover, William, broke it off because William's wife, Alice, had been in an auto accident. She would never walk again.

Back to Joyce Jordan. Brett's fall has caused a hemorrhage of the brain. She'll probably never walk again. In fact, she may even stop breathing. Joyce drops in on her beloved Dawson Blakely—you remember Dawson. He's the one who will never walk again—and he starts acting funny. Cold. Aloof. Doesn't want to be kissed. Now were over to "Road of Life." Dr. Jim Brent has caught Island Fever and will probably never walk again. Meanwhile, Carol, Jim's wife is having a heart-to-heart talk with her brother, Bill, who has already had Island Fever and who will never walk again.

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DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. Kind of mop
5. Stinging insect
9. Conscious
10. Melodies
12. Port
13. Proportion
14. Devoured
15. Burning coals
16. Valuable fur
19. Music note
21. Assist
26. Dexterous
28. Scorch
29. U. S. President
33. Near
34. States of temper
36. Flee from
40. Chop
43. A blazing signal
44. A beast
46. Seized
47. Unit of weight
48. Small perforated ball
49. Girl's nickname

DOWN

1. Hit (slang)
2. Flutters
3. Part of "to be"
4. Boy's nickname
5. Less tepid
6. Native of Arabia
7. Location
8. Couple
9. Exclamation
11. Distress signal
15. Sprite
17. A son of Adam
18. Exist
19. Substance in shellac
20. Finnish seaport
22. Frosted
23. Exclamation
24. Grab
25. Arid
27. Behold!
30. To hang over
31. Female deer
32. Depart
35. Turn off to one side
36. Newt
37. Thick slice
38. Mass of dough
39. Region
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42. Tiny
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45. Regret

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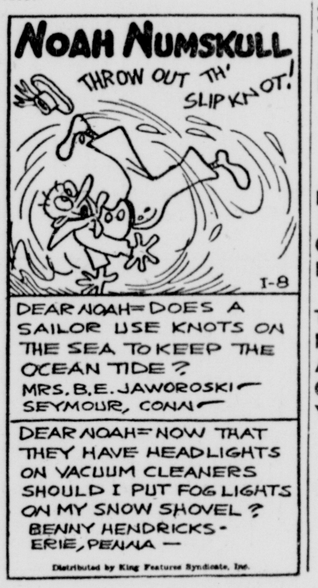

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2:15 Woman in White (NBC).
2:27 The Story of Holly Sloane (NBC).
2:40 Betty Crocker (NBC).
2:45 Interludes.
2:55 News.
3:00 Life Can be Beautiful (NBC).
3:15 Ma Perkins (NBC).
3:30 Pepper Young's Family (NBC).
3:45 Right to Happiness (NBC).
4:00 Backstage Wife (NBC).
4:15 Stella Dallas (NBC).
4:30 Lorenzo Jones (NBC).
4:45 Young Widder Brown (NBC).
5:00 Jive at Five.
5:30 News.
5:45 Excursions in Science.
6:00 Ed Hinkle — News.
6:15 John Garth Trio.
6:30 The Sportsman's Corner.
6:45 Treasury Guest Star.
7:00 The Supper Club (NBC).
7:15 News of the World (NBC).
7:30 In Your Name.
7:45 Books Bring Adventure (Allgy. Co. PTA).
8:00 The Aldrich Family (NBC).
8:30 Burns & Allen (NBC).
9:00 The Music Hall (NBC).
9:30 New Village Store (Jack Carson) (NBC).
10:00 Bob Hawk Show (NBC).
10:30 Eddie Cantor Show (NBC).
11:00 News.
11:15 Organ Reveries.
11:30 First Piano Quartet (NBC).
12:00 News (NBC).

SALLY'S SALLIES

"I don't know the name of the fish I want, but my husband calls it 'One-Eyed Conley."

RADIO IN REVIEW

By JOHN CROSBY

A Wheelchair Built for Two

Lined up back-to-back on N.B.C. from 10:30 a. m. EST to 11:15 are three soap operas all concerned with doctors and nurses and patients and hospitals in which love, to put it midly, runs rampant. Is it any wonder I'm confused? Soap opera requires no vast powers of concentration but these three soap operas demand an extraordinarily tidy and capacious mind to keep the events and characters of one from getting mixed up with the other two. The three are "Nora Drake" (the story seen through the window of a woman's heart, the story of a woman loved by three men and rejected by the man she loves), "Road of Life" and "Joyce Jordan, M. D."

John Crosby

Now if everyone will just remain calm, I'll try to straighten them all out. Nora Drake is a nurse who loves and is loved by young Dr. Ken Martinson, who doesn't let his love for Nora stand in the way of his marriage to rich, arrogant, sexy Peggy King. Everyone straight on that? Joyce Jordan, M. D.—they introduce her that way on the program, "Joyce, like you to meet Joe Doakes. Joe, Joyce Jordan, M. D." —is in love with Dawson Blakeley who loves her madly and, naturally, tries to break the thing off. (He doesn't want her—that way.) Now, sir! "Road of Life!" Dr. Jim Brent is greatly loved by his assistant, Maggie Lowell, but she can't do anything about it because he's married to Carol, who is carrying on with Alec Ransome, who is up to no good.

That is just part of the cast involved in forty-five consecutive minutes in three separate stories with at least two dozen minor plots.

Let's pick up the story of Nora Drake, couching it in the curious dialect of soap opera. Thus. Ever since Ken Martinson broke his engagement to her and married Peggy King, and ever since Rose, the head nurse, collapsed and almost died, and particularly since rich, nasty, old Mr. King has been trying to get her fired from the hospital, Nora has been worried. (For the connoisseur of understatement, soap opera is a rich field. You run into this sort of explanation all the time. "Ever since Bill went blind and the mortgage was foreclosed, Bella has been upset." Or—and this is an actual case—"Ever since she woke up to find the crib empty and her baby gone, Fay has been acting strange.")

As our story opens, we find rich Mr. King talking to kindly old Dr. Jensen. King is volunteering to build a new, $100,000 wing on the hospital if kindly, old Dr. Jensen will fire Nora Drake. "I want Nora Drake fired," says King, "answer at five o'clock." Five o'clock. Answer. "No!" We switch hurriedly to "Joyce Jordan, M. D." Her beloved Dawson Blakely has been in a plane crash. He will never walk again. As if that weren't enough, Brett Martin, Joyce's worst enemy, tries to slip her a dose of poison, but gets her signals mixed and slips it instead to Ernest, Joyce's foster son (or somebody's foster son. I can't quite figure out who Ernest belongs to.) Then Brett—she's a woman, by the way—swoons.

On we go to "Road of Life." Well, sir, Dr. Jim Brent's wife, Carol, swings her umbrella in a moment of passion in the laboratory where her husband is studying the dread Island Fever. The umbrella knocks over a test tube, spreading Island Fever all over the place. And now—to speed up the pace—back to Nora Drake. Rose, the stricken head nurse, is telling Nora how HER romance was blighted. Her lover, William, broke it off because William's wife, Alice, had been in an auto accident. She would never walk again.

Back to Joyce Jordan. Brett's fall has caused a hemorrhage of the brain. She'll probably never walk again. In fact, she may even stop breathing. Joyce drops in on her beloved Dawson Blakely—you remember Dawson. He's the one who will never walk again—and he starts acting funny. Cold. Aloof. Doesn't want to be kissed. Now were over to "Road of Life." Dr. Jim Brent has caught Island Fever and will probably never walk again. Meanwhile, Carol, Jim's wife is having a heart-to-heart talk with her brother, Bill, who has already had Island Fever and who will never walk again.

Is it any wonder I'm confused? How the devil do housewives keep straight on who is not walking again and in which direction they're not walking, and, particularly, who is snuggling up to whose wheelchair?

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GRIN AND BEAR IT — By Lichty

"I say it's high time they reduced taxes, Snodgrass . . . Why, half the time we're slaving for the government!"

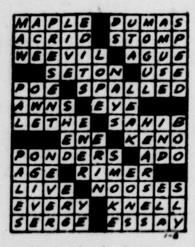
DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. Kind of mop
5. Stinging insect
9. Conscious
10. Melodies
12. Port
13. Proportion
14. Devoured
15. Burning coals
16. Valuable fur
19. Music note
21. Assist
26. Dexterous
28. Scorch
29. U. S. President
33. Near
34. States of temper
36. Flee from
40. Chop
43. A blazing signal
44. A beast
46. Seized
47. Unit of weight
48. Small perforated ball
49. Girl's nickname

DOWN

1. Hit (slang)
2. Flutters
3. Part of "to be"
4. Boy's nickname
5. Less tepid
6. Native of Arabia
7. Location
8. Couple
9. Exclamation
11. Distress signal
15. Sprite
17. A son of Adam
18. Exist
19. Substance in shellac
20. Finnish seaport
22. Frosted-
23. Exclamation
24. Grab
25. Arid
27. Behold!
30. To hang over
31. Female deer
32. Depart
35. Turn off to one side
36. Newt
37. Thick slice
38. Mass of dough
39. Region
41. Engrave with acid
42. Tiny
44. Weight, as on a plumb line
45. Regret



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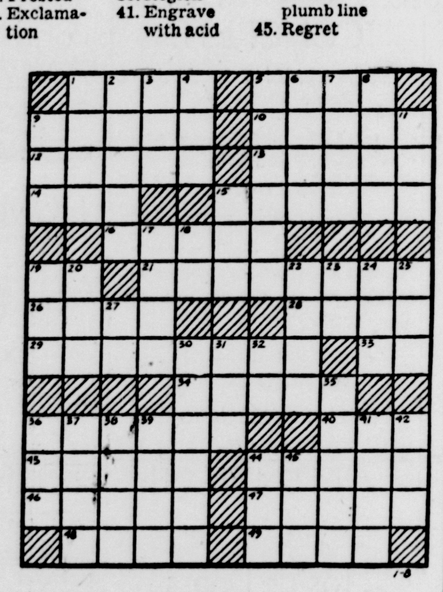

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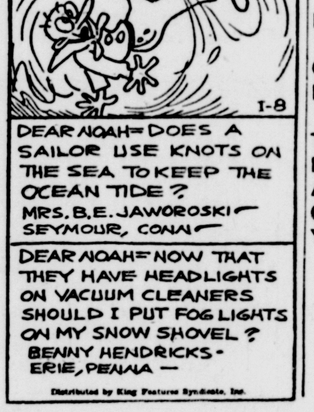

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47—REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

SIX ROOM modern frame dwelling, good condition, 74 C St., Keyser, W. Va., $8,000.

GROCERY STORE and three room apartment, bath, 43 Bridge St., Ridgeley, W. Va., $5,500.

FIVE ROOM bungalow, hot air furnace, oil burner, Carpenter Ave., Ridgeley, W Va., $4,700.

MODERN NEW bungalow, near Short Gap on Route 28. Possession at once, $6,750.

TEXACO GAS STATION and Grocery store, 1 mile north of Oldtown, Md., $7,300.

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President's Message To Congress Causes Only Few Market Variations

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP)—A placid stock market gave scant heed to the President's message to Congress today.

Despite many proposals in the message which Wall Street considered startling, prices plodded along with only minor variations, mostly upward. Few changes either way exceeded fractions.

Closing higher were Warner Brothers, at 13, Paramount at 20½, Eastern Airlines at 7¾, Illinois Central at 31⅝, American Telephone at 152⅞, Bethlehem Steel at 100½, United States Steel at 77¾, and Montgomery Ward at 55¾. Also ahead were Standard Oil (NJ), Oliver Corporation, Goodrich, Chrysler, American Smelting, Air Reduction at 26⅝, and International Harvester at 91.

Marked down a trifle were Sears Roebuck, United Aircraft, North American Company, Westinghouse, General Electric, du Pont, American Woolen, Northern Pacific, Gulf Oil, and Chesapeake and Ohio.

Ahead in the Curb were Illinois Power, Colonial Airlines, Aluminum Company, Electric Band and Share, and Sherwin-Williams. Sales totaled 190,000, compared with 220,000 yesterday.

High grade issues were active in a firm bond market that saw numerous issues gain better than a point.

Total sales hit $5,900,000, the highest since December 31 and compared with yesterday's $4,711,000.

United States government issues were quiet and mixed and trading in foreign issues were negligible.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP) — Stock list, today's close:

Air Redn	26⅝	Martin Gl	16¼
Alg Corp	3⅜	Minn Mol	15¼
Al C D	188	M K & T	5
Am Can	78⅛	Monsanto Ch.	59¾
Am C Fd	42½	M Ward	53¾
Am Rdr	14½	Nat Bis	30¾
Am R Mill	31¼	Nat Dis	20½
ATT	152⅞	NY Cen	15
Am Tob B	68½	Norf Wsn	60
Am W Wks	8	Nor Am Avn	9⅜
Anaconda	34¾	Ohio Oil	31⅞
Armour	13⅞	Owens Ill Gl	70¾
Avco Mfg	5⅛	Pack Mtrs	4⅞
B and O	12¾	Pan Amn Air	9½
Bendix	30¼	Paramt	20½
Beth Stl	100½	Pa RR	19⅝
Boe Airp	24¾	Philip Morris	28
Budd Co	10⅝	Plym Oil	34
Celan	27½	Pond Crk Poc	34
C and O	44½	Poor Co B	14¾
Chrys	62½	Prsd Stl Car	10⅞
Col G E	11¾	Pullman	53
Com Solv	22¾	Pur Oil	27⅞
Comw Sou	2⅜	Rad Crp	9¾
Con Ed	23	Rep Stl	26⅜
Cont Mtrs	7⅞	R Tob B	40⅛
Cont Oil	52¼	Srs Roe	36⅛
Curt Wr	5	Soc Vac	16¾
Doug Air	51½	Sou Pac	49
Dupont	183	Sper Crp	22⅜
Elau Lite	52¼	Sta Br	27⅞
Firest	49½	S O Ind	42⅞
Gen El	35⅜	S O NJ	77¾
Gen Fds	38¾	Studebaker	20¾
Gen Mtrs	57½	Tidew Oil	22¼
Goodrich	55¾	Timk Rb	52¾
Goodyr	43	Twent Cent	21⅞
Grhm Co	5⅜	Un Carbide	99½
Gt N Pfd	41⅛	Un Aire	24⅞
Greyhnd	11¾	United Corp	2½
Int N Can	27⅜	US Rubber	43⅜
Int T & T	13	US St	77¾
Intst Dept	21	Warner Bros	13
Isl Crk C	63¼	Wes Md	9½
Kenn Cop	48⅜	West Elec	29⅜
Kroger	46	Yng S T	77½
L O F Gl	54¾		

N. Y. Eggs And Butter

NEW YORK, Jan. 7—(AP)—Firmness marked dealings today in the wholesale egg market. Eggs 34,406, firm. Spot quotations follow: (Based on wholesale sales by receivers to jobbers and large retailers.)

Nearby whites: Extra fancy heavyweights, 61-62 plus premium of 2-3 cents; extra 1 large, unquoted; extra 2 large, unquoted; extra 3 large, unquoted; extra 4, large, unquoted; extras 1 and 2 medium, 54-55; extras 1 and 2 pullets, 50-51.

Butter 652,133; easy. Wholesale prices on bulk cartons: Creamery, higher than 92 score and premium marks (AA) 87-87¼ cents; 92 score (A) 85½-85¾; 90 score (B) 84¾; 89 score (C) 81. (New tubs usually command one-half cent a pound over the bulk carton price.)

Chicago Board Of Trade

CHICAGO, Jan. 7 (AP) — Grains staged a brisk advance in the latter part of the session on the Board of Trade today, aided by an expansion in domestic flour business and reported urgent demand for feed grains in the cash market. A new record high was made by cash oats. Closing prices:

WHEAT—March 3.02½, May 2.93¾-2.94, July 2.63½-¾, September 2.56⅞, December 2.53¼-2.54.

CORN—May 2.57-2.57½, July 2.45⅞-2.46, September 2.31-2.30¾, December 1.91¾-1.92.

OATS—March 1.30, May 1.21⅞-1.22, July 1.03¾-⅞, September 94¾, December 90¼.

SOYBEANS—March 4.20-4.21, May 4.18, July 4.13.

LARD—January 27.30, March 27.42, May 27.47, July 27.55, September 27.60.

CASH WHEAT: None.

CORN: No. 3 yellow 2.67½; No. 4, 2.55-2.59; No. 5, 2.42-2.42½.

OATS: No. 1 mixed 1.41½; No. 1 extra heavy mixed 1.44; No. 2 white 1.41½; No. 2 extra heavy white 1.44.

FIELD SEED PER HUNDREDWEIGHT: Nominal; timothy 5.50-6.00; red top 19.00-20.00; red clover 50.00-54.00.

BARLEY: Nominal; malting 1.92-2.82; feed 1.85-1.94.

SOYBEANS: No. 4 yellow 4.13½.

Baltimore Livestock

BALTIMORE, Jan. 7 — (AP) — (USDA).

Cattle—500—bulk of today's run intended for tomorrow's market; early sales principally cows; generally a fully steady to strong market on cows and bulls; scattered lots common to low good heifers 15.00-27.50; few good beef cows 20.00, but top quotation around 24.00; common and medium cows 16.00-19.00; canners and cutters 12.00-15.00; but very little under 13.00; good beef bulls 23.00, but top quotation around 25.00; good sausage bulls 22.00, common and medium 17.00-19.00; stock cattle practically absent.

Calves—150 — generally steady; bulk good and choice 180-250 lbs. 25.00-31.00; common and medium 15.00-23.00; odd culls down to 11.00; good and choice weighty slaughter calves mainly 19.00-25.00.

Hogs—1000—early active; generally 75 cents higher; bulk good and choice 180-250 lb. barrows and gilts 28.50-29.00, top 29.00; 120-140 lbs. 26.25-50; 140-160 lbs. 27.50-75; 160-180 lbs. 28.50-75; 250-300 lbs. 27.75-28.25; 300-350 lbs. 26.25-27.25; 350 lbs. up 25.50-26.50; good and choice sows 400 lbs. and lighter 23.25-24.50, heavier weights 22.50 down.

Sheep—50—all classes nominally steady; good wooled slaughter lambs quoted 25.00; comparable ewes 9.00.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters of Administration on the estate of Yegle Z. Humbertson, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 23rd day of June, 1948. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of December, 1947.

JEROME HUMBERTSON,
Administrator
Eckhart, Maryland
—Advertisement N-Dec 25 Jan 1-8-15

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters Testamentary on the estate of Lavinia E. Ort, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 30th day of June, 1948. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 30th day of December, 1947.

GERTRUDE WILLIAMS,
Executrix
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—Advertisement N-Jan 1-8-15-22

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE
of
VALUABLE UNIMPROVED PROPERTY IN WESTERNPORT, ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Maryland, I have seized and levied upon for the collection of State and County taxes due thereon, and will on
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1948
At 10:20 O'clock A. M.
at the Allegany County Court House door in Cumberland, Maryland, proceed to sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following described property:

All that lot of land 50 feet by 250 feet on Poplar and Gay Streets in Westernport, Allegany County, Maryland, in Election District No. 8, and being the same property conveyed to R. S. Dayton by Sarah C. Mullen and J. C. Mullen by deed dated January 13, 1877 and recorded in Liber 51, Folio 425, one of the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland, and which property is assessed on the Allegany County Tax Records to Sarah C. Mullen.

The above property is unimproved.
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Maryland Motor Truck Association announces the election of officers for 1948 as follows:

L. J. Zinsar, Baltimore-New York Express, Inc., president; Harold R. Wilson, Tidewater Express Lines, Inc., first vice-president; John M. Baer, Baer Brothers, second vice-president; J. M. Dignan, Jr., Joseph M. Dignan and Son, treasurer, and R. W. Furtick, W. T. Cowan, Inc., secretary. All are Baltimoreans except Baer who resides in Hagerstown.

W. F. Kneip continues as general manager and executive secretary.

Position Of Treasury

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7—(AP)—The position of the Treasury January 5:

Receipts, $125,597,398.51; expenditures, $165,993,012.47; balance, $2,461,224,840.55; customs receipts fiscal year July 1, $19,367,725,766.78; expenditures fiscal year, $17,848,585,784.16; excess of receipts $1,519,139,982.62; total debt, $256,495,783,896.44; decrease under previous day, $1,183,023.95; gold assets, $22,756,498,744.16.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Cumberland Fair Association, Incorporated, will be held on Tuesday, January 20, 1948, at 3 p. m., in the office of Carl F. Schmutz, Rooms 4-5, McCleave Building, Corner Baltimore and Liberty Streets, Cumberland, Maryland, to elect fifteen directors and transact any other business that may regularly come before this meeting.

CARL F. SCHMUTZ,
Secretary
Adv.—NT-Jan. 8-9.

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE
of
VALUABLE UNIMPROVED PROPERTY NEAR FRANKLIN, ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Maryland, I have seized and levied upon for the collection of State and County taxes due thereon, and will on
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1948
At 10:30 O'clock A. M.
at the Allegany County Court House door in Cumberland, Maryland, proceed to sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following described property:

All that lot of land in Election District No. 8, near Franklin and being part of Military Lot No. 3751, being the same property conveyed to Joseph A. Kearney by Marie B. Kearney by deed dated November 3, 1916, and recorded in Liber 119, Folio 569, one of the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland.

The above property is unimproved.
JAMES PARK,
Tax Collector.
Advertisement N-Jan. 8

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE
of
VALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY ON DAN'S MOUNTAIN, ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Maryland, I have seized and levied upon for the collection of State and County taxes due thereon, and will on
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1948
At 10:10 O'clock A. M.
at the Allegany County Court House door in Cumberland, Maryland, proceed to sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following described property:

All that lot of land in Election District No. 7 on Dan's Mountain, being part of "Hawks Nest," near Rawlings, Allegany County, Maryland, containing 96 acres, more or less, and being the same property conveyed to James T. Lease by Patent by the State of Maryland, July 26, 1905.

The above property is improved by two small bungalows.
JAMES PARK,
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Advertisement N-Jan. 8

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE
of
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Under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Maryland, I have seized and levied upon for the collection of State and County taxes due, thereon, and will on
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1948
At 10:00 O'clock A. M.
at the Allegany County Court House door in Cumberland, Maryland, proceed to sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following described property:

All that lot of land on the State Road and Ross Street in Election District No. 8, and being the same property conveyed to Augustus J. Schwarzer, Joseph E. Schwarzer and Augustus Schwarzer by Teresa Schwarzer, by deed dated May 2, 1926 and recorded in Liber 166, Folio 651 one of the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland.

The above property is improved by a frame dwelling.
JAMES PARK,
Tax Collector.
Advertisement N-Jan. 8

ASSIGNEE'S SALE
OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE KNOWN AS NO. 713 PATTERSON AVENUE, IN CUMBERLAND, ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND, BEING PARTS OF LOTS NOS. 9 and 10 OF BLOCK NO. 16 ON THE PLAT OF ROSE HILL ADDITION TO THE CITY OF CUMBERLAND.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage dated the 24th day of December, 1946, and recorded among the Mortgage Records of Allegany County, Maryland, in Liber No. 190, Folio 163, and duly assigned to George W. Legge for the purpose of collection and foreclosure, default having occurred in the covenants and conditions in said mortgage, the undersigned Assignee of said mortgage will sell at public auction on South Liberty Street, along side of the Second National Bank in Cumberland, Maryland, on

Thursday, January 29th, 1948
At 11 O'clock A. M.

All those lots, pieces or parcels of ground situate, lying and being near the City of Cumberland, Maryland, being parts of Lots Numbers 9 and 10 of Block Number 16 on the plat of Rose Hill Addition to the City of Cumberland, and being known and designated as Lots D and E of the sub-division of Lots Number 9, 10, 11 of Block No. 16, in Rose Hill Addition to Cumberland as made by Henry W. Schaidt, surveyor, said lots being described as a whole, as follows:

BEGINNING for the same at a point on Patterson Avenue in the City of Cumberland, said point being on the division line between lots Nos. 10 and 11 in Block 16 of said Addition, and running thence with said Patterson Avenue, South 42 degrees West 50 feet to the division line between Lots Nos. 8 and 9 of Block No. 16 of said Addition, thence with said division line North 48 degrees West 80 feet to a point on the division line between Lots Nos. 8 and 9 in Block No. 16 of said Addition, thence at right angles to said division line between said Lots Nos. 8 and 9 of Block No. 16 of said Addition and paralled to Patterson Avenue and across said Lots Nos. 9 and 10 of Block No. 16, of said Addition, North 42 degrees East 50 feet to a point on the division line between Lots Nos. 10 and 11 of Block No. 16 of said Addition, thence with said division line, South 48 degrees East 80 feet to the place of beginning.

It being the same property conveyed by Elsa L. Lichenstein, widow, to Irvin W. Lease and Elizabeth Lease, his wife, by deed dated the 24th day of December, 1946, and recorded among the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland, in Liber No. 212, folio 707.

The above described property is improved by a two story dwelling house, first story brick and second story frame, containing six rooms and bath, gas fired furnace, full basement, composition shingle roof and equipped with all modern conveniences.

State, County and City of Cumberland taxes and other public liens and charges will be adjusted to the time of final ratification of sale by the Court.

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GROCERY STORE and three room apartment, bath, 43 Bridge St., Ridgeley, W. Va., $5,500.

FIVE ROOM bungalow, hot air furnace, oil burner, Carpenter Ave., Ridgeley, W Va., $4,700.

MODERN NEW bungalow, near Short Gap on Route 28. Possession at once, $6,750.

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President's Message To Congress Causes Only Few Market Variations

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP)—A placid stock market gave scant heed to the President's message to Congress today.

Despite many proposals in the message which Wall Street considered startling, prices plodded along with only minor variations, mostly upward. Few changes either way exceeded fractions.

Closing higher were Warner Brothers, at 13, Paramount at 20½, Eastern Airlines at 7¾, Illinois Central at 31⅝, American Telephone at 152⅞, Bethlehem Steel at 100½, United States Steel at 77⅜, and Montgomery Ward at 55¾. Also ahead were Standard Oil (NJ), Oliver Corporation, Goodrich, Chrysler, American Smelting, Air Reduction at 26⅝, and International Harvester at 91.

Marked down a trifle were Sears Roebuck, United Aircraft, North American Company, Westinghouse, General Electric, du Pont, American Woolen, Northern Pacific, Gulf Oil, and Chesapeake and Ohio.

Ahead in the Curb were Illinois Power, Colonial Airlines, Aluminum Company, Electric Band and Share, and Sherwin-Williams. Sales totaled 190,000, compared with 220,000 yesterday.

High grade issues were active in a firm bond market that saw numerous issues gain better than a point.

Total sales hit $5,900,000, the highest since December 31 and compared with yesterday's $4,711,000.

United States government issues were quiet and mixed and trading in foreign issues were negligible.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP) — Stock list, today's close:

Air Redn	26⅝	Martin Gl	16¼
Alg Corp	3⅜	Minn Mol	15¾
Al C D	188	M K & T	5
Am Can	78⅛	Monsanto Ch.	59¾
Am C Fd	42½	M Ward	53¾
Am Rdr	14½	Nat Bis	30¾
Am R Mill	31¼	Nat Dis	20½
ATT	152⅞	NY Cen	15
Am Tob B	68½	Norf Wsn	60
Am W Wks	8	Nor Am Avn	9⅜
Anaconda	34¼	Ohio Oil	31⅞
Armour	13⅞	Owens Ill Gl	70¾
Avco Mfg	5⅛	Pack Mtrs	4⅞
B and O	12¾	Pan Amn Air.	9½
Bendix	30¼	Paramt	20½
Beth Stl	100½	Pa RR	19⅛
Boe Airp	24¾	Philip Morris.	28
Budd Co	10⅝	Plym Oil	34
Celan	27½	Pond Crk Poc.	34
C and O	44½	Poor Co B	14⅜
Chrys	62½	Prsd Stl Car.	10⅞
Col G E	11¾	Pullman	53
Com Solv	22¾	Pur Oil	27⅞
Comw Sou	2⅝	Rad Crp	9⅜
Con Ed	23	Rep Stl	26⅜
Cont Mtrs	7⅞	R Tob B	40⅛
Cont Oil	52¼	Srs Roe	36⅜
Curt Wr	5	Soc Vac	16¾
Doug Air	51½	Sou Pac	49
Dupont	183	Sper Crp	22⅜
Elau Lite	52¼	Sta Br	27⅜
Firest	49½	S O Ind	42⅜
Gen El	35⅜	S O NJ	77¾
Gen Fds	38¾	Studebaker	20¾
Gen Mtrs	57½	Tidew Oil	22¼
Goodrich	55¾	Timk Rb	52¾
Goodyr	43	Twent Cent	21⅞
Grhm Co	5⅜	Un Carbide	99½
Gt N Pfd	41⅛	Un Aire	24⅞
Greyhnd	11¾	United Corp	2½
Int N Can	27⅜	US Rubber	43⅝
Int T & T	13	US St	77¾
Intst Dept	21	Warner Bros	13
Isl Crk C	63¼	Wes Md	9½
Kenn Cop	48⅜	West Elec	29⅜
Kroger	46	Yng S T	77½
L O F Gl	54¾		

N. Y. Eggs And Butter

NEW YORK, Jan. 7—(AP)—Firmness marked dealings today in the wholesale egg market. Eggs 34,406, firm. Spot quotations follow: (Based on wholesale sales by receivers to jobbers and large retailers.)

Nearby whites: Extra fancy heavyweights, 61-62 plus premium of 2-3 cents; extra 1 large, unquoted; extra 2 large, unquoted; extra 3 large, unquoted; extra 4, large, unquoted; extras 1 and 2 medium, 54-55; extras 1 and 2 pullets, 50-51.

Butter 652,133; easy. Wholesale prices on bulk cartons: Creamery, higher than 92 score and premium marks (AA) 87-87¼ cents; 92 score (A) 85½-85¾; 90 score (B) 84¾; 89 score (C) 81. (New tubs usually command one-half cent a pound over the bulk carton price.)

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W. F. Kneip continues as general manager and executive secretary.

Position Of Treasury

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7—(AP)—The position of the Treasury January 5:

Receipts, $125,597,398.51; expenditures, $165,993,012.47; balance, $2,461,224,840.55; customs receipts fiscal year July 1, $19,367,725,766.78; expenditures fiscal year, $17,848,585,784.16; excess of receipts $1,519,139,982.62; total debt, $256,495,783,896.44; decrease under previous day, $1,183,023.95; gold assets, $22,756,498,744.16.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Cumberland Fair Association, Incorporated, will be held on Tuesday, January 20, 1948, at 3 p. m., in the office of Carl F. Schmutz, Rooms 4-5, McCleave Building, Corner Baltimore and Liberty Streets, Cumberland, Maryland, to elect fifteen directors and transact any other business that may regularly come before this meeting.

CARL F. SCHMUTZ,
Secretary

Adv.—NT-Jan. 8-9.

Baltimore Livestock

BALTIMORE, Jan. 7 — (AP) — (USDA).

Cattle—500—bulk of today's run intended for tomorrow's market; early sales principally cows; generally a fully steady to strong market on cows and bulls; scattered lots common to low good heifers 15.00-27.50; few good beef cows 20.00, but top quotation around 24.00; common and medium cows 16.00-19.00; canners and cutters 12.00-15.00; but very little under 13.00; good beef bulls 23.00, but top quotation around 25.00; good sausage bulls 22.00, common and medium 17.00-19.00; stock cattle practically absent.

Calves—150 — generally steady; bulk good and choice 180-250 lbs. 25.00-31.00; common and medium 15.00-23.00; odd culls down to 11.00; good and choice weighty slaughter calves mainly 19.00-25.00.

Hogs—1000—early active; generally 75 cents higher; bulk good and choice 180-250 lb. barrows and gilts 28.50-29.00, top 29.00; 120-140 lbs. 26.25-50; 140-160 lbs. 27.50-75; 160-180 lbs. 28.50-75; 250-300 lbs. 27.75-28.25; 300-350 lbs. 26.25-27.25; 350 lbs. up 25.50-26.50; good and choice sows 400 lbs. and lighter 23.25-24.50, heavier weights 22.50 down.

Sheep—50—all classes nominally steady; good wooled slaughter lambs quoted 25.00; comparable ewes 9.00.

Chicago Board Of Trade

CHICAGO, Jan. 7 (AP) — Grains staged a brisk advance in the latter part of the session on the Board of Trade today, aided by an expansion in domestic flour business and reported urgent demand for feed grains in the cash market. A new record high was made by cash oats. Closing prices:

WHEAT—March 3.02½, May 2.93¾-2.94, July 2.63½-¾, September 2.58⅞, December 2.53¾-2.54.

CORN—May 2.57-2.57½, July 2.45⅞-2.46, September 2.31-2.30¾, December 1.91¾-1.92.

OATS—March 1.30, May 1.21⅞-1.22, July 1.03¾-⅞, September 94¾, December 90¼.

SOYBEANS—March 4.20-4.21, May 4.15, July 4.13.

LARD—January 27.30, March 27.42, May 27.47, July 27.55, September 27.60.

CASH WHEAT: None.

CORN: No. 3 yellow 2.67½; No. 4, 2.55-2.59; No. 5, 2.42-2.42½.

OATS: No. 1 mixed 1.41½; No. 1 extra heavy mixed 1.44; No. 2 white 1.41½; No. 2 extra heavy white 1.44.

FIELD SEED PER HUNDREDWEIGHT: Nominal; timothy 5.50-6.00; red top 19.00-20.00; red clover 50.00-54.00.

BARLEY: Nominal; malting 1.92-2.82; feed 1.85-1.94.

SOYBEANS: No. 4 yellow 4.13½.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters of Administration on the estate of Yegle Z. Humbertson, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 23rd day of June, 1948. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of December, 1947.

JEROME HUMBERTSON,
Administrator
Eckhart, Maryland
—Advertisement N-Dec 25 Jan 1-8-15

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters Testamentary on the estate of Lavinia E. Ort, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 30th day of June, 1948. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 30th day of December, 1947.

GERTRUDE WILLIAMS,
Executrix
51 Ormond Street
Frostburg, Maryland
—Advertisement N-Jan 1-8-15-22

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE
of
VALUABLE UNIMPROVED PROPERTY IN WESTERNPORT, ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Maryland, I have seized and levied upon for the collection of State and County taxes due thereon, and will on
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1948
At 10:20 O'clock A. M.
at the Allegany County Court House door in Cumberland, Maryland, proceed to sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following described property:

All that lot of land 50 feet by 250 feet on Poplar and Gay Streets in Westernport, Allegany County, Maryland, in Election District No. 8, and being the same property conveyed to R. S. Dayton by Sarah C. Mullen and J. C. Mullen by deed dated January 13, 1877 and recorded in Liber 51, Folio 425, one of the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland, and which property is assessed on the Allegany County Tax Records to Sarah C. Mullen.

The above property is unimproved.

JAMES PARK,
Tax Collector.
Advertisement N-Jan. 8

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE
of
VALUABLE UNIMPROVED PROPERTY NEAR FRANKLIN, ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Maryland, I have seized and levied upon for the collection of State and County taxes due thereon, and will on
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1948
At 10:30 O'clock A. M.
at the Allegany County Court House door in Cumberland, Maryland, proceed to sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following described property:

All that lot of land in Election District No. 8, near Franklin and being part of Military Lot No. 3751, being the same property conveyed to Joseph A. Kearney by Marie B. Kearney by deed dated November 3, 1916, and recorded in Liber 119, Folio 569, one of the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland.

The above property is unimproved.

JAMES PARK,
Tax Collector.
Advertisement N-Jan. 8

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE
of
VALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY ON DAN'S MOUNTAIN, ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Maryland, I have seized and levied upon for the collection of State and County taxes due thereon, and will on
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1948
At 10:10 O'clock A. M.
at the Allegany County Court House door in Cumberland, Maryland, proceed to sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following described property:

All that lot of land in Election District No. 7 on Dan's Mountain, being part of "Hawks Nest," near Rawlings, Allegany County, Maryland, containing 96 acres, more or less, and being the same property conveyed to James T. Lease by Patent by the State of Maryland, July 26, 1905.

The above property is improved by two small bungalows.

JAMES PARK,
Tax Collector.
Advertisement N-Jan. 8

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE
of
VALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY IN WESTERNPORT, ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Maryland, I have seized and levied upon for the collection of State and County taxes due, thereon, and will on
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1948
At 10:00 O'clock A. M.
at the Allegany County Court House door in Cumberland, Maryland, proceed to sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following described property:

All that lot of land on the State Road and Ross Street in Election District No. 8, and being the same property conveyed to Augustus J. Schwarzer, Joseph E. Schwarzer and Augustus Schwarzer by Teresa Schwarzer, by deed dated May 2, 1926 and recorded in Liber 166, Folio 651 one of the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland.

The above property is improved by a frame dwelling.

JAMES PARK,
Tax Collector.
Advertisement N-Jan. 8

ASSIGNEE'S SALE
OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE KNOWN AS NO. 713 PATTERSON AVENUE, IN CUMBERLAND, ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND, BEING PARTS OF LOTS NOS. 9 and 10 OF BLOCK NO. 16 ON THE PLAT OF ROSE HILL ADDITION TO THE CITY OF CUMBERLAND.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage dated the 24th day of December, 1946, and recorded among the Mortgage Records of Allegany County, Maryland, in Liber No. 190, Folio 163, and duly assigned to George W. Legge for the purpose of collection and foreclosure, default having occurred in the covenants and conditions in said mortgage, the undersigned Assignee of said mortgage will sell at public auction on South Liberty Street, along side of the Second National Bank in Cumberland, Maryland, on

Thursday, January 29th, 1948
At 11 O'clock A. M.

All those lots, pieces or parcels of ground situate, lying and being near the City of Cumberland, Maryland, being parts of Lots Numbers 9 and 10 of Block Number 16 on the plat of Rose Hill Addition to the City of Cumberland, and being known and designated as Lots D and E of the sub-division of Lots Number 9, 10, 11 of Block No. 16, in Rose Hill Addition to Cumberland as made by Henry W. Schaidt, surveyor, said lots being described as a whole, as follows:

BEGINNING for the same at a point on Patterson Avenue in the City of Cumberland, said point being on the division line between lots Nos. 10 and 11 in Block 16 of said Addition, and running thence with said Patterson Avenue, South 42 degrees West 50 feet to the division line between Lots Nos. 8 and 9 of Block No. 16 of said Addition, thence with said division line North 48 degrees West 80 feet to a point on the division line between Lots Nos. 8 and 9 in Block No. 16 of said Addition, thence at right angles to said division line between said Lots Nos. 8 and 9 of Block No. 16 of said Addition and parallel to Patterson Avenue and across said Lots Nos. 9 and 10 of Block No. 16, of said Addition, North 42 degrees East 50 feet to a point on the division line between Lots Nos. 10 and 11 of Block No. 16 of said Addition, thence with said division line, South 48 degrees East 80 feet to the place of beginning.

It being the same property conveyed by Elsa L. Lichenstein, widow, to Irvin W. Lease and Elizabeth Lease, his wife, by deed dated the 24th day of December, 1946, and recorded among the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland, in Liber No. 212, folio 707.

The above described property is improved by a two story dwelling house, first story brick and second story frame, containing six rooms and bath, gas fired furnace, full basement, composition shingle roof and equipped with all modern conveniences.

State, County and City of Cumberland taxes and other public liens and charges will be adjusted to the time of final ratification of sale by the Court.

TERMS OF SALE: One-half cash on day of sale and balance upon ratification of sale and delivery of good and sufficient deed to the purchaser or purchasers thereof.

GEORGE W. LEGGE,
Assignee of Mortgage for the purpose of foreclosure.
Advertisement N-Jan. 8-15-22-29

Court Reverses Board On Cadillac License

Ware's Suspension Reduced To 30-Days

Circuit Court judges yesterday reversed the Allegany County Liquor Control Board in its suspension of the liquor license of the Cadillac, a Baltimore street cocktail lounge, and modified the 90-day suspension of William Ware's beer and wine license to 30 days.

The cases, first of their kind heard here, were heard before a full bench with Chief Judge William A. Huster, Associate Judge George Henderson and Associate Judge Joseph D. Mish, Hagerstown, presiding. All three judges concurred in the decision to modify the suspension against Ware, but Judge Henderson did not sign the opinion in the Molinari case.

The Court based its decision in the Molinari case on the section of the law which provides for two or more convictions of agents or employes of a corporation, and explained that this license was not in the name of Molinari but of the Cadillac Liquor Store, Inc.

In the Ware case, the penalty was termed excessive in view of fines already paid by the defendants and other penalties imposed.

The two Court opinions follow:

Molinari Case

"This is an appeal from the decision of the Board of License Commissioners of Allegany County, suspending the license of the Cadillac Liquor Store, Inc., a Maryland Corporation, based upon the conviction of Frank Molinari, Jr., one of the trustees or agents of the licensee.

"The action of the Board was taken pursuant to the provisions of Section 62 of Chapter 501 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1947, wherein it is provided that the license must be revoked or suspended upon conviction of the licensee from the violation of any of the provisions of the Alcoholic Beverage Act.

"What the License Board has done is that it has considered a conviction of Frank Molinari, Jr., as equivalent to a conviction of the corporation. With this contention, we cannot agree. We think that where a servant, agent, or employee of the corporation has been convicted the case comes under Subsection 4 of said Section 62, which makes a suspension or revocation of a license mandatory upon two or more convictions of one or more of the clerks, agents, employes, and servants of a licensee under the provisions of the Alcoholic Beverage Act for any violation in the licensed premises within a period of two years.

"It follows that in our view under the particular circumstances of this case, the Board was not authorized to suspend the license of the Corporation and the decision of the Board, is, therefore, reversed."

William Ware Case

"William Ware has taken an appeal from a decision of the Liquor Board of Allegany County, which suspended his beer and light wine license for a period of 90 days. The Court has read carefully the record.

"This Court does not intend to condone or excuse in any way the licensee who was convicted of allowing minors to loiter where intoxicants are served and also of selling intoxicants to minors. It also realizes that the action of the Board was based partly on the laudable motive of discouraging others from the commission of similar offenses.

"However, in view of the penalty already imposed in the Circuit Court where there was a fine of $300 and $16.20 costs, which has been paid, and in view of the further fact that Ware and his wife are under a suspended sentence for three months, which will immediately go into effect in the event of any further violation of the liquor laws on their premises, the Court has concluded that the 90-days' suspension is excessive.

"It is therefore ORDERED this 7th day of January 1948, by the Circuit Court for Allegany county, Maryland, that the license issued to William Ware, Red Hill, Allegany County, Maryland, be and the same is hereby suspended for a period of 30 days, beginning on the 12th day of January, 1948, and ending on the 11th day of February, 1948; and it is further ordered that the license for said premises be deposited with the Clerk of the Liquor Control

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Twins Are Born 3 Days Apart

The News was informed yesterday by its Moorefield, W. Va., correspondent of the birth — three days apart — of twin boys to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Parker of the Big Ridge section near Needmore, W. Va. One of the boys was born Sunday, Dec. 7, and the other, Tuesday, Dec. 9.

According to the correspondent this is the first case in Hardy County of twins being born on different days. The babies were delivered by different doctors. The children have been named Joseph David and James Curtis. They are the couple's first children.

George Brewer Is Elected Head Of Counselors Group

Committees Will Be Named In February

George Brewer, guidance counselor at Fort Hill High School, was elected president of the Tri-State Counselors Association at an organization meeting held last night at the Board of Education Building.

Other new officers are John Maiden, psychology instructor at Potomac State School, Keyser, W. Va., vice president; and Miss Frances L. Loftus, director of nurses at Memorial Hospital, secretary-treasurer.

Dr. Karl Garrison, dean of instruction at Frostburg State Teachers' College, gave a talk on "Emotional Factors and Problems in Guidance and Counseling."

By-laws, prepared by a committee headed by Maj. Elmer Wall, commanding officer of the Salvation Army here, were presented and approved. Others on the committee were Brewer, Miss Loftus and Miss Dorothy Byers, director of guidance at Allegany High School.

The objectives of the new organization, as outlined in the by-laws, are as follows:

To unite persons engaged in or interested in guidance and counseling; to gather and distribute information on counseling; to study individual and group guidance problems so that group adjustment in the community may be aided; and to co-ordinate present counseling activities and promote their development.

The next meeting will be held February 4, when committees will be appointed. The place and time will be announced later.

Postal Receipts Show Increase Of $15,000

Postal receipts at the Cumberland Postoffice, which totaled $305,205.73 in 1947, showed an increase of $15,000 over 1946 receipts, postal officials reported yesterday.

Receipts are based on money from sale of stamps, box rents, meter use and other items. The 1946 total was $290,215.97.

Officials pointed out that the recent heavy mailing rush during the Christmas season is reflected in the increase of $7,100 in receipts for the December quarter as compared to the same period in 1946.

Sales of U. S. savings bonds declined in 1947, however, with a total of $76,818.75 as compared to $93,093.75 for the preceding year.

Postal savings deposits also showed a decrease of $10,409 in 1947, with $407,476 on credit to depositors at the close of business December 31 as compared to $417,885 at the end of 1946.

Man Found Dead On Offutt Street

A man identified by City Police as H. Neff, possibly 75, of the Oldtown Road section, was found dead on the pavement in front of 57 Offutt Street shortly before midnight last night.

City Police received the call at 11:40 p. m. and took the man to Allegany Hospital where attempts by nurses to revive him by means of artificial respiration failed.

Two decks of cards and a bag of pennies were found in an overcoat pocket.

State Accident Body Is Upheld In Valentine Case

Widow Loses Appeal In Circuit Court

The appeal of Hattie W. Valentine, this city, from a decision of the State Industrial Accident Commission which denied her compensation in the death of her husband, Edward W. Valentine, has been dismissed in Circuit Court by Chief Judge William A. Huster.

The Court upheld the ruling of the Commission in its dismissal, because it was shown Valentine, who was employed by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company as a crossing watchman was engaged in interstate commerce, and therefore under the state compensation act is not entitled to benefits.

Valentine was fatally injured when an automobile drifted down Baltimore Street and struck him, while he worked on the B & O crossing at that point, November 3, 1946.

William A. Gunter and D. Lindley Sloan represented the railroad company and I. Duke Avnett, Baltimore was attorney for Mrs. Valentine.

The Court opinion follows:

"This case comes before the Court upon an appeal by the Claimant because the State Industrial Accident Commission disallowed the claim.

"The uncontradicted evidence shows that Edward W. Valentine was engaged by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company as a crossing watchman at the Baltimore Street crossing in Cumberland, Maryland, and on the 3rd day of November, 1946, while engaged in the performance of his duty as said watchman was struck by an unattended automobile, injuring him to such an extent that he died of said injuries on the same day.

"His widow, Hattie M. Valentine, filed her claim against the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for compensation.

"The case was heard before the State Accident Commission on April 11, 1947, and the Commission found that the said Edward W. Valentine sustained an accidental personal injury arising out of and in the course of his employment on November 3, 1946, and as a result thereof died on the same day.

"The Commission further found that Edward W. Valentine at the time he received his accidental injuries resulting in his death was engaged in Interstate Commerce or in work so closely associated with it as to form a part thereof. The Commission further found that the death of the said Edward W. Valentine is not compensable under the Workmen's Compensation Law of the State of Maryland because of the nature of his employment and disallowed the claim filed against the Defendant.

"The Court has carefully reviewed the evidence in this case and considered the various cases cited by the Defendant and the Claimant has cited no cases in conflict with the cases cited by the Defendant, and the Court is of the opinion that the findings of the Commission are correct and the Claimant's appeal must be dismissed, and the Court will sign an order dismissing Claimant's appeal."

Ridgeley Council Defers Action On Garbage Contract

Final action on awarding a garbage removal contract for the city of Ridgeley will be taken at a special meeting of the Mayor and Council later this month, Mayor Frank Magruder, announced yesterday.

Mayor Magruder said the work of Miller and Davis, garbage contractors for Cumberland, has been satisfactory but added that the council decided Tuesday night to defer final action in order to allow more study of the plan.

The local garbage firm was awarded a 10-day trial collection period early in December to collect garbage there twice a week.

The council authorized Mayor Magruder to provide a second exit to the Ridgeley Town Hall and jail.

Mayor Magruder said the work of cutting the second door on the opposite side of the building, will begin at once. Both doors, he said, will be metal covered as an additional protection against fire.

Authorities there are still investigating the blaze which was set in the doorway of the building on Christmas eve.

Cash Valley Home Damaged By Fire

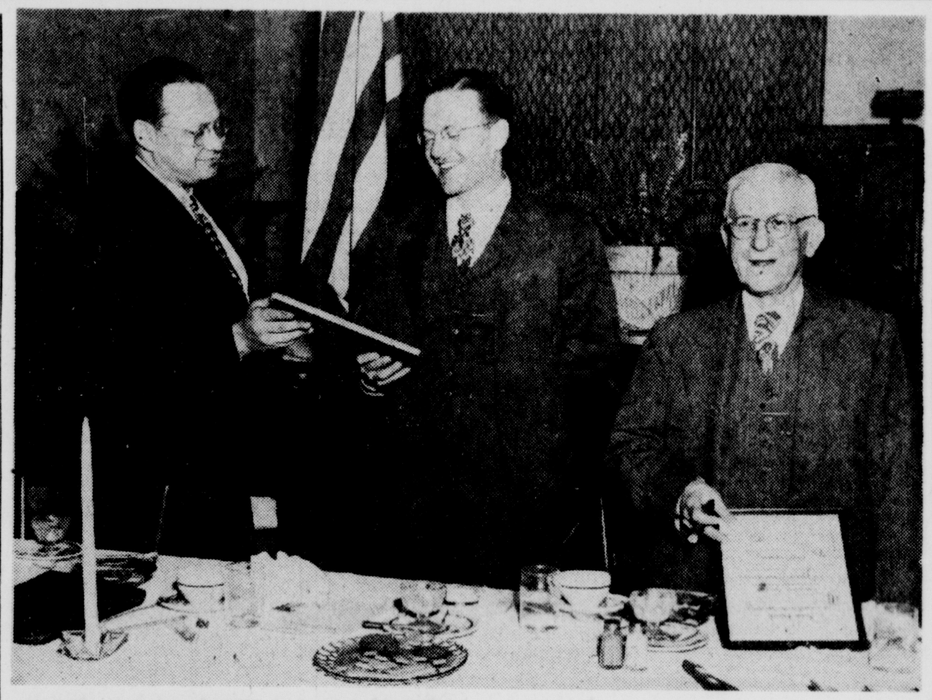
Fire believed to have started in an overheated flue partially destroyed the second floor of a two-story frame home on Cash Valley Road yesterday afternoon, and firemen of the LaVale Volunteer Fire Company fought the blaze for three hours before bringing it under control.

C. W. Flannigan, owner of the building, estimated his loss at $2,000. Firemen pumped water from a pond formed by a dam in a small stream near the home.

Flannigan said all upstairs furnishings and many articles of clothing were destroyed. The house and furniture were insured.

Temperature Reading

Temperature of 15 degrees by this morning was predicted last night and the mercury was doing its best to make it come true at 10 p. m., having dropped from a maximum of 35 degrees during the afternoon to 23 at that hour. Slightly warmer weather and light snow is forecast for today. Yesterday's minimum was 25.



GET JAYCEE AWARDS— Dr. Joseph M. Ray, head of the College of Business and Public Administration at the University of Maryland, (center) and Isaac Hirsch, this city, (right) were presented with United States Junior Association of Commerce Good Government Awards last night at the Ali Ghan Country Club by David Kauffman, (left) chairman of the local Jaycee Governmental Affairs committee. The awards were made for contributions of the recipients toward improved local government. Hirsch is recognized as the "father of Cumberland's commission form of government" and for his long interest in civic and governmental affairs. Dr. Ray is recognized for work done last year in a survey of the city government and recommendations for its improvement.

500 Men Enlisted At Local Army Recruiting Station In Past Year

Approximately 500 men were enlisted at the local Army and Air Force Recruiting Station in 1947, Lt. George Gocke, of that office, said yesterday in releasing a report of activities for the year of the Baltimore District, top district by percentage in the Second Army Area.

Total men enlisted per recruiter (11 of the 14 officers and men stationed here act as recruiters) of the Cumberland station was 43, Gocke said.

He gave these figures for the Baltimore District: total men enlisted, 5,431; men enlisted per recruiter, 37.4 by percentage.

News releases from the local office amounted to 500, radio programs totaled 100 and radio spot announcements amounted to 250. Representation of the local office at public events totaled 40.

For the district the figures were: radio spots, 21,381; radio programs, 3,350; representation at public events, 100.

Main stations in the Baltimore District besides Cumberland are Baltimore, Washington, Highlandtown, Winchester, Va., and Hagerstown.

Districts in the Second Army Area in addition to Baltimore are Pittsburgh, Pa.; Richmond, Va.; Philadelphia, Pa.; Charlestown, W. Va.; Columbus, Ohio; Indianapolis, Ind., and Louisville, Ky.

Lashley Is Named DAV Commander

Walter C. Lashley, Potomac Park, wounded during the Normandy invasion, was elected commander of Fort Washington Chapter No. 2, Disabled American Veterans, last night at the post home, South Centre Street.

A machinist at the Celanese plant, Lashley succeeds Labin Perdew as post commander.

Overseas about six months, Lashley was with the Field Artillery when he was wounded. He subsequently was discharged from William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Texas, November 29, 1944.

Other officers named last night include John E. Hoffman, senior vice commander; Percy Ruby, junior vice commander; P. J. Snelling, adjutant; Arthur Flurshutz, treasurer; H. E. Couter, service officer; Labin Perdew, judge advocate; Dailey Barnes, chaplain; Frank Harbaugh, officer of the day; Floyd Wentling, sergeant-at-arms.

Elected to the building corporation are Fred Walton, president; Walter Lashley, vice president; Labin Perdew, treasurer; Arthur Flurshutz, secretary; John E. Hoffman, custodian, and P. J. Snelling.

The new officers will be installed January 21.

Rubber Workers Will Name Division Heads

Local 26, United Rubber, Cork, Linoleum and Plastic Workers of America, CIO, will hold a special meeting Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to nominate seven division chairmen, A. E. Johnson, president, announced yesterday.

Nominations will also be held for one member of the union's executive board and for five delegates to the District 1, URCLPWA, Council, he added.

The election will be conducted by ballots which will be mailed to members as soon as possible, the union said.

Men Of LaSalle Adopt Four-Fold Program Of Aid

Brother Clement Heads New Group

The "Men of LaSalle Association", a new organization formed last night in Carrol Hall with a four-fold purpose of aiding the school, appointed Brother Clement, principal of LaSalle High School, as the temporary chairman.

Brother Clement said over 150 members of the alumni, fathers of boys now in school, and friends of the institution attended the meeting, selected and approved the four-point purpose for its existence.

While a great deal was accomplished, the principal said, much will be forthcoming from the next meeting scheduled for January 21 in Carroll Hall.

The four points adopted by the new organization are:

1—Promoting mutual understanding between teachers and members of the association in view of realizing greater success for students.

2—To promote a general knowledge of Catholic educational objectives and of facilities offered by the Christian Brothers of LaSalle High School.

3—Sponsoring activities designated to promote the best interest of the school.

4—To establish a sinking fund for assistance of students needing financial aid to continue their education at LaSalle.

The membership authorized Brother Clement to select a Steering Committee which will meet within the next eight days to draw up plans and objectives for presentation at the next meeting. Brother Clement said the committee will be appointed shortly.

The four-point purpose of the organization was presented by Brother Clement and unanimously adopted by the attending members who indicated that an election of officers will be held in the near future.

Additional members was the immediate goal of the organization, Brother Clement said, adding that work on such a program has already begun. Membership in the organization is open to all alumni, fathers of present students and friends of the school.

B. And O. Engineer Retires From Service

Ralph C. Bolton, Connellsville, Pa., engineer on the Capitol Limited between Pittsburgh and Cumberland for the last eight years, has retired from the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad after nearly half a century of service.

Bolton, who will be 65 Sunday, says his greatest thrill was piloting the train of the late President Roosevelt during war years through the mountainous foothills of the Alleghenies.

After starting as a fireman in 1901, Bolton was promoted to engineer four years later and has remained at the throttle ever since.

Bolton believes Diesels to be far superior to the steam engine and more economical to operate.

He wears a 40-year button in the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

B. & O. Furloughs 38 Freight House Employes Here

Due To Seasonal Business Decline

A temporary furlough of 38 of approximately 87 employes at the Cumberland freight house of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad will begin this morning, Luther B. Cross, freight agent, said last night.

He said the furlough is due to a seasonal decline in business which was not felt enough to warrant a furlough last year or during the war years.

Notice of the furlough was posted yesterday, Cross said, adding that he hopes all of the men affected will be recalled by the first of February if not before. All of the men were described as experienced.

Cross said new freight handling facilities just completed at the George Street freight house is expected to result in recall of the furloughed men as soon as additional cars are directed to this city for handling.

By addition of new sidings, the capacity of the freight house has been increased from 50 to 85 cars.

These sidings are expected to expedite handling of less-than-carload merchandise from other points as well as that shipped locally.

In addition to the sidings, a covered concrete platform 440 feet long and 16 feet wide was built for handling of merchandise.

It is expected that as a result of the larger facilities, more freight loaded at various points will be forwarded to Cumberland for consolidation into cars moving to other transfer points to the nearest destination.

The new facilities here cost approximately $50,000.

Farmers' Meeting Planned Jan. 20

A "Farmers' Meeting" scheduled to be held in Hagerstown at Franklin Court Auditorium January 20 at 9:30 a. m. is expected to attract large numbers from Allegany and Garrett county, as well as from other nearby areas.

The Farmers' Meeting, the second of what the planning committee intends will become an annual meeting, will feature thorough discussions of such topics as the Japanese Beetle, the corn borer, hay and grain drying, and corn and fertilization and rate of planting.

The program is being arranged by a committee of farmers from Maryland, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, assisted by local county agents and the farm supervisor of the Potomac Edison System.

The committee pointed out that the subject of each of the discussions has been responsible for an increasingly alarming crop or farm income loss each year in this part of the country.

Local farmers should know the seriousness of these threats to their crops and their income, as well as what is known about what can be done to minimize them—the whole purpose of the mass meeting.

Herman Stockslager, president of the Farm Bureau of Washington County and chairman of the Farmers' Meeting Committee, said provisions have been made to form an area organization of all farmers attending the January 20 meeting. Plans call for each county group to elect two representatives who will become members of the committee to plan further meetings of the Farm Meeting nature.

Charter Revision Plan Is Outlined By Dr. Ray

City Government Here Termed "Worst Form"

"Too many people think the game of politics is dirty and won't have anything to do with it. The reason politics is dirty is because more good people don't play it," Dr. Joseph M. Ray, head of the College of Business and Public Administration of the University of Maryland, told members and guests at the regular dinner meeting of the Cumberland Junior Association of Commerce last night at Ali Ghan Country Club.

Dr. Ray, who together with his staff, made a survey of the city government here more than a year ago, was invited by the Jaycees to come here and speak on the report and recommendations it contains.

As a result of his survey, instituted by the Jaycees in the interest of improved local government, Dr. Ray recommended that a new charter be drawn. A citizens' committee of eight was named by Mayor Thomas S. Post to undertake the task. Six members of the committee were guests, along with a score of others including a delegation from the Women's Civic Club.

Dr. Ray declared the charter committee has a momentous task to perform in attempting to write a charter for the city. "The function of the group is to devise an acceptable charter and one that will work," he explained. "They might be considered a constitutional convention for the City of Cumberland, and their task is equally great," he emphasized.

Must Represent All People

The committee has an enormous job of public relations to perform. It must not write individual prejudices or opinions into the charter. They must place themselves before the public and realize they are the people of Cumberland for the next 20, 30 or even 60 years," he continued.

"The charter committee must learn to get along with each other and work together. Some compromises may be necessary," he asserted, "but you don't compromise principles, you only compromise issues."

The charter group must hold public hearings, talk with people in all walks of life, let people present their views and ideas, and outline the kind of home-town government they want, he recommended. "The only way to get united support for a new charter is to let all share in it and make it appeal to all people," he said.

The charter committee here is not too well founded or legally constituted, Dr. Ray told his audience. During the question period he was asked "How many members should there be on the committee?"

He replied, "if I were asked to do it, I would name 15 men and women, capable of undertaking the task, and doing the job. I'd break them down into sub-committees and let each committee take a phase of the charter. I'd have them represent all sections and hold public hearings in all parts of the city to get ideas."

Must Convince Public

Dr. Ray said, "it would be criminal shortsightedness to draft a charter which will not go through." Explaining how the adoption of a new charter would come about, he reminded his audience that after it is drawn it must be approved by the state legislature, and then the voters should have the right to accept or reject it. A charter can be acceptable, if the people are convinced what they want is in it, he predicted.

"Politics is dirty business sometimes," the speaker continued. "But if more people take interest, it can be cleaned up." He said there is no place on the charter committee for politicians as such, because the problem of a new charter must be approached with individual humility, and devotion to the cause.

Home-Rule Important

"Since home rule, and that's what people seem to want," he said, "is the power to amend its own charter," there should be provision in any charter drawn for the right to amend it, Dr. Ray said.

Referring to the commission form in Cumberland, under which Cumberland is now governed, Dr. Ray declared, "Any form of government is better than a commission form." This system, ideal 30 years ago, has proved to be one of the worst and most obsolete systems. It creates, over a period of time, hatred, bickering, jealousy and downright stupidity."

Under this system, he said, "the mayor is not an executive but is merely a button on the top of everything else to keep it from unraveling."

Dr. Ray said he would not recommend any particular form of government to the people of Cumberland, because, "that is the business of the people who live here and ex-

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Lewis Suspension At Celanese Is Upheld By Wolff

Arbitrator Rules Man Was "Caught In Act"

Asserting he was satisfied the five-day suspension without pay imposed on Oliver G. Lewis for "sleeping on the job" at the Celanese plant in September, 1946, was proper, Sidney A. Wolff, New York arbitrator, in an award dated December 31, disallowed the grievance filed by Local 1874, Textile Workers Union of America, CIO, on behalf of Mr. Lewis.

Mr. Wolff said it was "undisputed" that Lewis, who on September 30, 1946, was found asleep on the job while working on the "cat-eye" shift at the Filtration Department, did not deny that he was asleep but instead "took his suspension for sleeping without a murmur of dissent and immediately arranged with a co-worker to trade his days off."

"If, as Mr. Lewis contended in this proceeding, he was not asleep, it is difficult to understand why he did not promptly say so. His failure to deny the charge, when considered in the light of all other evidence presented in the case, leads to the conclusion that he did not protest because he well knew that he had been 'caught in the act'", Wolff continued.

He added "The witnesses, all coworkers, ... agreed that at the time, Mr. Lewis was sitting in a position that would seem "like he was sleeping" but they were certain he could not have been asleep because, as they viewed it, he had been sitting for too short a time . . . . to fall asleep. On the other hand, the supervisor, Byard O. Glass, was definite and positive in his testimony that Mr. Lewis was asleep."

Happened In 1946

Lewis, 36, employed in Block 3 of the Filtration Department, was suspended September 30, 1946, for five days for sleeping. The Celanese Corporation of America brief on the case pointed out the union did not act promptly after the suspension was meted out but waited until November 27, 1946, to have the case reviewed by the superintendent of personnel.

On December 5, 1946, company and union officials reviewed the case and the suspension was sustained. The union further delayed the matter, the company said, by not notifying the company that it desired the case arbitrated until April 1, 1947. One week later, the union filed its demand for arbitration contending the suspension improper and asked that Lewis be compensated for loss of earnings sustained as a result of the suspension. The sole issue in the case was whether or not Lewis was found asleep at or near his job.

The company brief asserted the union's 58-day delay in asking that the case be reviewed before the personnel department constituted "an acceptance of the suspension."

During the hearing, the shift supervisor who administered the suspension said Mr. Lewis came to his office and asked if he could make arrangements to trade the suspension so that he could go on a hunting trip. The supervisor assented to this and testified that Lewis, at that time, made no denial that he had been asleep, but that five minutes before quitting time he appeared with his union committeemen who stated, "we feel he wasn't asleep."

The union contended four employes near were in a position to state Lewis was not asleep. One of the men, the company said, refused to appear at the hearing and another did not take the witness stand.

The company said the case involved little from a monetary standpoint since the cost of arbitrating it amounts to much more, but that the "unusual interest" in the case is that the grievance was "nothing more than an attempt" to make Mr. Glass, a supervisor for 20 years, the defendant in the case instead of Mr. Lewis.

In view of the fact that Lewis accepted the suspension without protest, especially when he found he could get an additional week's vacation indicates that something entirely unconnected with the grievance must have revived the case, the company charged. During the hearing, the company asserted, a union committeeman tried to becloud the real issue by having the arbitrator try Mr. Glass and not Mr. Lewis.

Local Barber, Who Feared Illness, Reported Missing Since Saturday

Left Notes To His Wife And Employer

A local barber, who disappeared Saturday after leaving notes to his wife and employer stating that he has tuberculosis, was being sought by City Police last night when the wife reported a two-day search by her was fruitless.

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The missing man, a veteran of World War II, who resided with his wife, a former Petersburg, W. Va., woman in a three room apartment in back of the barber shop was last seen "about midnight Saturday," Lt. Detective Edwin R. Lilya said.

According to Mrs. Phillips, police explained, her husband made a trip to Hagerstown about a week prior to Saturday for a physical examination by a Hagerstown physician. When he returned, police quoted the wife as saying, he told several friends that he was suffering from tuberculosis.

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To Address Local Dinner Club

Hawthorne Daniel, foreign correspondent and authority on world trends, will speak on the topic, "Westward, the Course of Empire," at a meeting of the Cumberland National Dinner Club next Tuesday, January 13, at 6:45 p. m. at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

Daniel, for 25 years a student of world developments, believes the United States and Canada are making North America the world's most potent center of economic and political power.

He is the author of "North America, Wheel of the Future;" "Ships of the Seven Seas," for which the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt wrote the introduction; and "Islands of the Pacific."

Another best-seller, "End of the Track," was awarded the gold medal of the Oregon Trail Memorial Association. Daniel has just completed the manuscript of his 31st book, a study of the influence of transportation and supply on war, which will be published this spring.

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Court Reverses Board On Cadillac License

Ware's Suspension Reduced To 30-Days

Circuit Court judges yesterday reversed the Allegany County Liquor Control Board in its suspension of the liquor license of the Cadillac, a Baltimore street cocktail lounge, and modified the 90-day suspension of William Ware's beer and wine license to 30 days.

The cases, first of their kind heard here, were heard before a full bench with Chief Judge William A. Huster, Associate Judge George Henderson and Associate Judge Joseph D. Mish, Hagerstown, presiding. All three judges concurred in the decision to modify the suspension against Ware, but Judge Henderson did not sign the opinion in the Molinari case.

The Court based its decision in the Molinari case on the section of the law which provides for two or more convictions of agents or employes of a corporation, and explained that this license was not in the name of Molinari but of the Cadillac Liquor Store, Inc.

In the Ware case, the penalty was termed excessive in view of fines already paid by the defendants and other penalties imposed.

The two Court opinions follow:

Molinari Case

"This is an appeal from the decision of the Board of License Commissioners of Allegany County, suspending the license of the Cadillac Liquor Store, Inc., a Maryland Corporation, based upon the conviction of Frank Molinari, Jr., one of the trustees or agents of the licensee.

"The action of the Board was taken pursuant to the provisions of Section 62 of Chapter 501 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1947, wherein it is provided that the license must be revoked or suspended upon conviction of the licensee from the violation of any of the provisions of the Alcoholic Beverage Act.

"What the License Board has done is that it has considered a conviction of Frank Molinari, Jr., as equivalent to a conviction of the corporation. With this contention, we cannot agree. We think that where a servant, agent, or employee of the corporation has been convicted the case comes under Subsection 4 of said Section 62, which makes a suspension or revocation of a license mandatory upon two or more convictions of one or more of the clerks, agents, employes, and servants of a licensee under the provisions of the Alcoholic Beverage Act for any violation in the licensed premises within a period of two years.

"It follows that in our view under the particular circumstances of this case, the Board was not authorized to suspend the license of the Corporation and the decision of the Board, is, therefore, reversed."

William Ware Case

"William Ware has taken an appeal from a decision of the Liquor Board of Allegany County, which suspended his beer and light wine license for a period of 90 days. The Court has read carefully the record.

"This Court does not intend to condone or excuse in any way the licensee who was convicted of allowing minors to loiter where intoxicants are served and also of selling intoxicants to minors. It also realizes that the action of the Board was based partly on the laudable motive of discouraging others from the commission of similar offenses.

"However, in view of the penalty already imposed in the Circuit Court where there was a fine of $300 and $16.20 costs, which has been paid, and in view of the further fact that Ware and his wife are under a suspended sentence for three months, which will immediately go into effect in the event of any further violation of the liquor laws on their premises, the Court has concluded that the 90-days' suspension is excessive.

"It is therefore ORDERED this 7th day of January 1948, by the Circuit Court for Allegany county, Maryland, that the license issued to William Ware, Red Hill, Allegany County, Maryland, be and the same is hereby suspended for a period of 30 days, beginning on the 12th day of January, 1948, and ending on the 11th day of February, 1948; and it is further ordered that the license for said premises be deposited with the Clerk of the Liquor Control

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Twins Are Born 3 Days Apart

The News was informed yesterday by its Moorefield, W. Va., correspondent of the birth — three days apart — of twin boys to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Parker of the Big Ridge section near Needmore, W. Va. One of the boys was born Sunday, Dec. 7, and the other, Tuesday, Dec. 9.

According to the correspondent this is the first case in Hardy County of twins being born on different days. The babies were delivered by different doctors. The children have been named Joseph David and James Curtis. They are the couple's first children.

George Brewer Is Elected Head Of Counselors Group

Committees Will Be Named In February

George Brewer, guidance counselor at Fort Hill High School, was elected president of the Tri-State Counselors Association at an organization meeting held last night at the Board of Education Building.

Other new officers are John Maiden, psychology instructor at Potomac State School, Keyser, W. Va., vice president; and Miss Frances L. Loftus, director of nurses at Memorial Hospital, secretary-treasurer.

Dr. Karl Garrison, dean of instruction at Frostburg State Teachers' College, gave a talk on "Emotional Factors and Problems in Guidance and Counseling."

By-laws, prepared by a committee headed by Maj. Elmer Wall, commanding officer of the Salvation Army here, were presented and approved. Others on the committee were Brewer, Miss Loftus and Miss Dorothy Byers, director of guidance at Allegany High School.

The objectives of the new organization, as outlined in the by-laws, are as follows:

To unite persons engaged in or interested in guidance and counseling; to gather and distribute information on counseling; to study individual and group guidance problems so that group adjustment in the community may be aided; and to co-ordinate present counseling activities and promote their development.

The next meeting will be held February 4, when committees will be appointed. The place and time will be announced later.

Postal Receipts Show Increase Of $15,000

Postal receipts at the Cumberland Postoffice, which totaled $305,205.73 in 1947, showed an increase of $15,000 over 1946 receipts, postal officials reported yesterday.

Receipts are based on money from sale of stamps, box rents, meter use and other items. The 1946 total was $290,215.97.

Officials pointed out that the recent heavy mailing rush during the Christmas season is reflected in the increase of $7,100 in receipts for the December quarter as compared to the same period in 1946.

Sales of U. S. savings bonds declined in 1947, however, with a total of $76,818.75 as compared to $93,093.75 for the preceding year.

Postal savings deposits also showed a decrease of $10,409 in 1947, with $407,476 on credit to depositors at the close of business December 31 as compared to $417,885 at the end of 1946.

Man Found Dead On Offutt Street

A man identified by City Police as H. Neff, possibly 75, of the Oldtown Road section, was found dead on the pavement in front of 57 Offutt Street shortly before midnight last night.

City Police received the call at 11:40 p. m. and took the man to Allegany Hospital where attempts by nurses to revive him by means of artificial respiration failed.

Two decks of cards and a bag of pennies were found in an overcoat pocket.

State Accident Body Is Upheld In Valentine Case

Widow Loses Appeal In Circuit Court

The appeal of Hattie W. Valentine, this city, from a decision of the State Industrial Accident Commission which denied her compensation in the death of her husband, Edward W. Valentine, has been dismissed in Circuit Court by Chief Judge William A. Huster.

The Court upheld the ruling of the Commission in its dismissal, because it was shown Valentine, who was employed by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company as a crossing watchman was engaged in interstate commerce, and therefore under the state compensation act is not entitled to benefits.

Valentine was fatally injured when an automobile drifted down Baltimore Street and struck him, while he worked on the B & O crossing at that point, November 3, 1946.

William A. Gunter and D. Lindley Sloan represented the railroad company and I. Duke Avnett, Baltimore was attorney for Mrs. Valentine.

The Court opinion follows:

"This case comes before the Court upon an appeal by the Claimant because the State Industrial Accident Commission disallowed the claim.

"The uncontradicted evidence shows that Edward W. Valentine was engaged by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company as a crossing watchman at the Baltimore Street crossing in Cumberland, Maryland, and on the 3rd day of November, 1946, while engaged in the performance of his duty as said watchman was struck by an unattended automobile, injuring him to such an extent that he died of said injuries on the same day.

"His widow, Hattie M. Valentine, filed her claim against the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for compensation.

"The case was heard before the State Accident Commission on April 11, 1947, and the Commission found that the said Edward W. Valentine sustained an accidental personal injury arising out of and in the course of his employment on November 3, 1946, and as a result thereof died on the same day.

"The Commission further found that Edward W. Valentine at the time he received his accidental injuries resulting in his death was engaged in Interstate Commerce or in work so closely associated with it as to form a part thereof. The Commission further found that the death of the said Edward W. Valentine is not compensable under the Workmen's Compensation Law of the State of Maryland because of the nature of his employment and disallowed the claim filed against the Defendant.

"The Court has carefully reviewed the evidence in this case and considered the various cases cited by the Defendant and the Claimant has cited no cases in conflict with the cases cited by the Defendant, and the Court is of the opinion that the findings of the Commission are correct and the Claimant's appeal must be dismissed, and the Court will sign an order dismissing Claimant's appeal."

Ridgeley Council Defers Action On Garbage Contract

Final action on awarding a garbage removal contract for the city of Ridgeley will be taken at a special meeting of the Mayor and Council later this month, Mayor Frank Magruder, announced yesterday.

Mayor Magruder said the work of Miller and Davis, garbage contractors for Cumberland, has been satisfactory but added that the council decided Tuesday night to defer final action in order to allow more study of the plan.

The local garbage firm was awarded a 10-day trial collection period early in December to collect garbage there twice a week.

The council authorized Mayor Magruder to provide a second exit to the Ridgeley Town Hall and jail.

Mayor Magruder said the work of cutting the second door on the opposite side of the building, will begin at once. Both doors, he said, will be metal covered as an additional protection against fire.

Authorities there are still investigating the blaze which was set in the doorway of the building on Christmas eve.

Cash Valley Home Damaged By Fire

Fire believed to have started in an overheated flue partially destroyed the second floor of a two-story frame home on Cash Valley Road yesterday afternoon, and firemen of the LaVale Volunteer Fire Company fought the blaze for three hours before bringing it under control.

C. W. Flannigan, owner of the building, estimated his loss at $2,000. Firemen pumped water from a pond formed by a dam in a small stream near the home.

Flannigan said all upstairs furnishings and many articles of clothing were destroyed. The house and furniture were insured.

Temperature Reading

Temperature of 15 degrees by this morning was predicted last night and the mercury was doing its best to make it come true at 10 p. m., having dropped from a maximum of 35 degrees during the afternoon to 23 at that hour. Slightly warmer weather and light snow is forecast for today. Yesterday's minimum was 25.

GET JAYCEE AWARDS— Dr. Joseph M. Ray, head of the College of Business and Public Administration at the University of Maryland, (center) and Isaac Hirsch, this city, (right) were presented with United States Junior Association of Commerce Good Government Awards last night at the Ali Ghan Country Club by David Kauffman, (left) chairman of the local Jaycee Governmental Affairs committee. The awards were made for contributions of the recipients toward improved local government. Hirsch is recognized as the "father of Cumberland's commission form of government" and for his long interest in civic and governmental affairs. Dr. Ray is recognized for work done last year in a survey of the city government and recommendations for its improvement.

500 Men Enlisted At Local Army Recruiting Station In Past Year

Approximately 500 men were enlisted at the local Army and Air Force Recruiting Station in 1947, Lt. George Gocke, of that office, said yesterday in releasing a report of activities for the year of the Baltimore District, top district by percentage in the Second Army Area.

Total men enlisted per recruiter (11 of the 14 officers and men stationed here act as recruiters) of the Cumberland station was 43, Gocke said.

He gave these figures for the Baltimore District: total men enlisted, 5,431; men enlisted per recruiter, 37.4 by percentage.

News releases from the local office amounted to 500, radio programs totaled 100 and radio spot announcements amounted to 250. Representation of the local office at public events totaled 40.

For the district the figures were: radio spots, 21,381; radio programs, 3,350; representation at public events, 100.

Main stations in the Baltimore District besides Cumberland are Baltimore, Washington, Highlandtown, Winchester, Va., and Hagerstown.

Districts in the Second Army Area in addition to Baltimore are Pittsburgh, Pa.; Richmond, Va.; Philadelphia, Pa.; Charlestown, W. Va.; Columbus, Ohio; Indianapolis, Ind., and Louisville, Ky.

Lashley Is Named DAV Commander

Walter C. Lashley, Potomac Park, wounded during the Normandy invasion, was elected commander of Fort Washington Chapter No. 2, Disabled American Veterans, last night at the post home, South Centre Street.

A machinist at the Celanese plant, Lashley succeeds Labin Perdew as post commander.

Overseas about six months, Lashley was with the Field Artillery when he was wounded. He subsequently was discharged from William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Texas, November 29, 1944.

Other officers named last night include John E. Hoffman, senior vice commander; Percy Ruby, junior vice commander; P. J. Snelling, adjutant; Arthur Flurshutz, treasurer; H. E. Couter, service officer; Labin Perdew, judge advocate; Dailey Barnes, chaplain; Frank Harbaugh, officer of the day; Floyd Wentling, sergeant-at-arms.

Elected to the building corporation are Fred Walton, president; Walter Lashley, vice president; Labin Perdew, treasurer; Arthur Flurshutz, secretary; John E. Hoffman, custodian, and P. J. Snelling.

The new officers will be installed January 21.

Rubber Workers Will Name Division Heads

Local 26, United Rubber, Cork, Linoleum and Plastic Workers of America, CIO, will hold a special meeting Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to nominate seven division chairmen, A. E. Johnson, president, announced yesterday.

Nominations will also be held for one member of the union's executive board and for five delegates to the District 1, URCLPWA, Council, he added.

The election will be conducted by ballots which will be mailed to members as soon as possible, the union said.

Men Of LaSalle Adopt Four-Fold Program Of Aid

Brother Clement Heads New Group

The "Men of LaSalle Association", a new organization formed last night in Carrol Hall with a four-fold purpose of aiding the school, appointed Brother Clement, principal of LaSalle High School, as the temporary chairman.

Brother Clement said over 150 members of the alumni, fathers of boys now in school, and friends of the institution attended the meeting, selected and approved the four-point purpose for its existence.

While a great deal was accomplished, the principal said, much will be forthcoming from the next meeting scheduled for January 21 in Carroll Hall.

The four points adopted by the new organization are:

1—Promoting mutual understanding between teachers and members of the association in view of realizing greater success for students.

2—To promote a general knowledge of Catholic educational objectives and of facilities offered by the Christian Brothers of LaSalle High School.

3—Sponsoring activities designated to promote the best interest of the school.

4—To establish a sinking fund for assistance of students needing financial aid to continue their education at LaSalle.

The membership authorized Brother Clement to select a Steering Committee which will meet within the next eight days to draw up plans and objectives for presentation at the next meeting. Brother Clement said the committee will be appointed shortly.

The four-point purpose of the organization was presented by Brother Clement and unanimously adopted by the attending members who indicated that an election of officers will be held in the near future.

Additional members was the immediate goal of the organization, Brother Clement said, adding that work on such a program has already begun. Membership in the organization is open to all alumni, fathers of present students and friends of the school.

B. And O. Engineer Retires From Service

Ralph C. Bolton, Connellsville, Pa., engineer on the Capitol Limited between Pittsburgh and Cumberland for the last eight years, has retired from the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad after nearly half a century of service.

Bolton, who will be 65 Sunday, says his greatest thrill was piloting the train of the late President Roosevelt during war years through the mountainous foothills of the Alleghenies.

After starting as a fireman in 1901, Bolton was promoted to engineer four years later and has remained at the throttle ever since.

Bolton believes Diesels to be far superior to the steam engine and more economical to operate.

He wears a 40-year button in the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

B. & O. Furloughs 38 Freight House Employes Here

Due To Seasonal Business Decline

A temporary furlough of 38 of approximately 87 employes at the Cumberland freight house of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad will begin this morning, Luther B. Cross, freight agent, said last night.

He said the furlough is due to a seasonal decline in business which was not felt enough to warrant a furlough last year or during the war years.

Notice of the furlough was posted yesterday, Cross said, adding that he hopes all of the men affected will be recalled by the first of February if not before. All of the men were described as experienced.

Cross said new freight handling facilities just completed at the George Street freight house is expected to result in recall of the furloughed men as soon as additional cars are directed to this city for handling.

By addition of new sidings, the capacity of the freight house has been increased from 50 to 85 cars.

These sidings are expected to expedite handling of less-than-carload merchandise from other points as well as that shipped locally.

In addition to the sidings, a covered concrete platform 440 feet long and 16 feet wide was built for handling of merchandise.

It is expected that as a result of the larger facilities, more freight loaded at various points will be forwarded to Cumberland for consolidation into cars moving to other transfer points to the nearest destination.

The new facilities here cost approximately $50,000.

Farmers' Meeting Planned Jan. 20

A "Farmers' Meeting" scheduled to be held in Hagerstown at Franklin Court Auditorium January 20 at 9:30 a. m. is expected to attract large numbers from Allegany and Garrett county, as well as from other nearby areas.

The Farmers' Meeting, the second of what the planning committee intends will become an annual meeting, will feature thorough discussions of such topics as the Japanese Beetle, the corn borer, hay and grain drying, and corn and fertilization and rate of planting.

The program is being arranged by a committee of farmers from Maryland, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, assisted by local county agents and the farm supervisor of the Potomac Edison System.

The committee pointed out that the subject of each of the discussions has been responsible for an increasingly alarming crop or farm income loss each year in this part of the country.

Local farmers should know the seriousness of these threats to their crops and their income, as well as what is known about what can be done to minimize them—the whole purpose of the mass meeting.

Herman Stockslager, president of the Farm Bureau of Washington County and chairman of the Farmers' Meeting Committee, said provisions have been made to form an area organization of all farmers attending the January 20 meeting. Plans call for each county group to elect two representatives who will become members of the committee to plan further meetings of the Farm Meeting nature.

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Lewis Suspension At Celanese Is Upheld By Wolff

Arbitrator Rules Man Was "Caught In Act"

Asserting he was satisfied the five-day suspension without pay imposed on Oliver G. Lewis for "sleeping on the job" at the Celanese plant in September, 1946, was proper, Sidney A. Wolff, New York arbitrator, in an award dated December 31, disallowed the grievance filed by Local 1874, Textile Workers Union of America, CIO, on behalf of Mr. Lewis.

Mr. Wolff said it was "undisputed" that Lewis, who on September 30, 1946, was found asleep on the job while working on the "cat-eye" shift at the Filtration Department, did not deny that he was asleep but instead "took his suspension for sleeping without a murmur of dissent and immediately arranged with a co-worker to trade his days off."

"If, as Mr. Lewis contended in this proceeding, he was not asleep, it is difficult to understand why he did not promptly say so. His failure to deny the charge, when considered in the light of all other evidence presented in the case, leads to the conclusion that he did not protest because he well knew that he had been 'caught in the act'", Wolff continued.

He added "The witnesses, all co-workers, ... agreed that at the time, Mr. Lewis was sitting in a position that would seem "like he was sleeping" but they were certain he could not have been asleep because, as they viewed it, he had been sitting for too short a time . . . . to fall asleep. On the other hand, the supervisor, Byard O. Glass, was definite and positive in his testimony that Mr. Lewis was asleep."

Happened In 1946

Lewis, 36, employed in Block 3 of the Filtration Department, was suspended September 30, 1946, for five days for sleeping. The Celanese Corporation of America brief on the case pointed out the union did not act promptly after the suspension was meted out but waited until November 27, 1946, to have the case reviewed by the superintendent of personnel.

On December 5, 1946, company and union officials reviewed the case and the suspension was sustained. The union further delayed the matter, the company said, by not notifying the company that it desired the case arbitrated until April 1, 1947. One week later, the union filed its demand for arbitration contending the suspension improper and asked that Lewis be compensated for loss of earnings sustained as a result of the suspension. The sole issue in the case was whether or not Lewis was found asleep at or near his job.

The company brief asserted the union's 58-day delay in asking that the case be reviewed before the personnel department constituted "an acceptance of the suspension."

During the hearing, the shift supervisor who administered the suspension said Mr. Lewis came to his office and asked if he could make arrangements to trade the suspension so that he could go on a hunting trip. The supervisor assented to this and testified that Lewis, at that time, made no denial that he had been asleep, but that five minutes before quitting time he appeared with his union committeemen who stated, "we feel he wasn't asleep."

The union contended four employes near were in a position to state Lewis was not asleep. One of the men, the company said, refused to appear at the hearing and another did not take the witness stand.

The company said the case involved little from a monetary standpoint since the cost of arbitrating it amounts to much more, but that the "unusual interest" in the case is that the grievance was "nothing more than an attempt" to make Mr. Glass, a supervisor for 20 years, the defendant in the case instead of Mr. Lewis.

In view of the fact that Lewis accepted the suspension without protest, especially when he found he could get an additional week's vacation indicates that something entirely unconnected with the grievance must have revived the case, the company charged. During the hearing, the company asserted, a union committeeman tried to becloud the real issue by having the arbitrator try Mr. Glass and not Mr. Lewis.

City Government Here Termed "Worst Form"

"Too many people think the game of politics is dirty and won't have anything to do with it. The reason politics is dirty is because more good people don't play it," Dr. Joseph M. Ray, head of the College of Business and Public Administration of the University of Maryland, told members and guests at the regular dinner meeting of the Cumberland Junior Association of Commerce last night at Ali Ghan Country Club.

Dr. Ray, who together with his staff, made a survey of the city government here more than a year ago, was invited by the Jaycees to come here and speak on the report and recommendations it contains.

As a result of his survey, instituted by the Jaycees in the interest of improved local government, Dr. Ray recommended that a new charter be drawn. A citizens' committee of eight was named by Mayor Thomas S. Post to undertake the task. Six members of the committee were guests, along with a score of others including a delegation from the Women's Civic Club.

Dr. Ray declared the charter committee has a momentous task to perform in attempting to write a charter for the city. "The function of the group is to devise an acceptable charter and one that will work," he explained. "They might be considered a constitutional convention for the City of Cumberland, and their task is equally great," he emphasized.

Must Represent All People

The committee has an enormous job of public relations to perform. It must not write individual prejudices or opinions into the charter. They must place themselves before the public and realize they are the people of Cumberland for the next 20, 30 or even 60 years," he continued.

"The charter committee must learn to get along with each other and work together. Some compromises may be necessary," he asserted, "but you don't compromise principles, you only compromise issues."

The charter group must hold public hearings, talk with people in all walks of life, let people present their views and ideas, and outline the kind of home-town government they want, he recommended. "The only way to get united support for a new charter is to let all share in it and make it appeal to all people," he said.

The charter committee here is not too well founded or legally constituted, Dr. Ray told his audience. During the question period he was asked "How many members should there be on the committee?"

He replied, "if I were asked to do it, I would name 15 men and women, capable of undertaking the task, and doing the job. I'd break them down into sub-committees and let each committee take a phase of the charter. I'd have them represent all sections and hold public hearings in all parts of the city to get ideas."

Must Convince Public

Dr. Ray said, "it would be criminal shortsightedness to draft a charter which will not go through." Explaining how the adoption of a new charter would come about, he reminded his audience that after it is drawn it must be approved by the state legislature, and then the voters should have the right to accept or reject it. A charter can be acceptable, if the people are convinced what they want is in it, he predicted.

"Politics is dirty business sometimes," the speaker continued. "But if more people take interest, it can be cleaned up." He said there is no place on the charter committee for politicians as such, because the problem of a new charter must be approached with individual humility, and devotion to the cause.

Home-Rule Important

"Since home rule, and that's what people seem to want," he said, "is the power to amend its own charter," there should be provision in any charter drawn for the right to amend it, Dr. Ray said.

Referring to the commission form in Cumberland, under which Cumberland is now governed, Dr. Ray declared, "Any form of government is better than a commission form." This system, ideal 30 years ago, has proved to be one of the worst and most obsolete systems. It creates, over a period of time, hatred, bickering, jealousy and downright stupidity."

Under this system, he said, "the mayor is not an executive but is merely a button on the top of everything else to keep it from unraveling."

Dr. Ray said he would not recommend any particular form of government to the people of Cumberland, because, "that is the business of the people who live here and ex-

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Hawthorne Daniel, Noted Author, Will Give Talk Here January 13

To Address Local Dinner Club

Hawthorne Daniel, foreign correspondent and authority on world trends, will speak on the topic, "Westward, the Course of Empire," at a meeting of the Cumberland National Dinner Club next Tuesday, January 13, at 6:45 p. m. at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

Daniel, for 25 years a student of world developments, believes the United States and Canada are making North America the world's most potent center of economic and political power.

He is the author of "North America, Wheel of the Future;" "Ships of the Seven Seas," for which the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt wrote the introduction; and "Islands of the Pacific."

Another best-seller, "End of the Track," was awarded the gold medal of the Oregon Trail Memorial Association. Daniel has just completed the manuscript of his 31st book, a study of the influence of transportation and supply on war, which will be published this spring.

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TO SPEAK HERE— Hawthorne Daniel, noted author and foreign correspondent, will be the guest speaker at the January meeting of the Cumberland National Dinner Club, to be held Tuesday evening at Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

Local Barber, Who Feared Illness, Reported Missing Since Saturday

Left Notes To His Wife And Employer

A local barber, who disappeared Saturday after leaving notes to his wife and employer stating that he has tuberculosis, was being sought by City Police last night when the wife reported a two-day search by her was fruitless.

Pete Phillips, 24, employed in a Virginia Avenue barber shop, informed his wife and employer that he was going to a sanatorium for treatment, according to police, who said the possibility isn't likely.

The missing man, a veteran of World War II, who resided with his wife, a former Petersburg, W. Va., woman in a three room apartment in back of the barber shop was last seen "about midnight Saturday," Lt. Detective Edwin R. Lilya said.

According to Mrs. Phillips, police explained, her husband made a trip to Hagerstown about a week prior to Saturday for a physical examination by a Hagerstown physician. When he returned, police quoted the wife as saying, he told several friends that he was suffering from tuberculosis.

Worked On Saturday

Mrs. Phillips, who was visiting

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MISSING BARBER— Police last night were searching for Pete Phillips, (above) local barber, who they said has been missing since Saturday night when he left his wife and employer notes saying he planned to enter a sanatorium for tuberculosis treatment. Police doubted that the World War II veteran has entered a sanatorium.